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Mr. D. Lindsay Keir, M.A. (left), who gave the first of his three Donnellan Lectures in Trinity College yesterday. With him is the Vice-Provost, the Rev. R. M. Gwynn, B.D.

REV. R. M. GWYNN VICE-PROVOST

TRINITY APPOINTMENTS

AT a meeting of the Board of Trinity College, held yesterday, the following changes in the College officers were made, consequent on the admission of the Vice-Provost, Dr. Ernest H. Alton, to the Provostship:

VICE-PROVOST—Rev. Robert M. Gwynn, B.D., in succession to the Provost.

REGISTRAR—Dr. Kenneth C. Bailey, in succession to the Rev. Robert M. Gwynn, B.D.

JUNIOR DEAN—Mr. Charles H. Rowe, M.A., in succession to Dr. Kenneth C. Bailey.

The Rev. Robert M. Gwynn, B.D., became a Fellow in 1906, and a Tutor in the following year. He was elected to the Chair of Biblical Greek in 1916, and to the Chair of Hebrew in 1920. He was co-opted a Senior Fellow in 1937, when he was admitted to the office of Senior Proctor, which office he held until he became Registrar in 1941. He has published a commentary on the Prophet Amos. Mr. Gwynn is a brother of the late Provost, Dr. E. J. Gwynn. He has always been keenly interested in the social work of the city. He was captain of the 1st XI. cricket, and has played for the Gentlemen of Ireland; he also played for the rugby 1st XV. in 1897-98, along with the present Provost, a year in which Trinity won the Cup.

Dr. Kenneth C. Bailey became a Fellow in 1926, and Professor of Physical Chemistry in the University of Dublin in 1935. First elected to the Board as representative of the Junior Fellows in 1930, he has served on the governing body of the College continuously since that date, and has been Junior Dean for the past eleven years. Since the foundation of the T.C.D. Association in 1928, Dr. Bailey has been its Hon. Secretary, and has helped to build up this Society of Trinity College men and women, whose five thousand members are scattered over the world. He has also been Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, since the death of Dr. Louis Purser, of the Frederick Purser Funds, which have helped many needy students. Dr. Bailey's publications include "The Retardation of Chemical Reactions," "The Elder Pliny's Chapters on Chemical Subjects" (two volumes), "An Etymological Dictionary of Chemistry and Mineralogy" (in collaboration with Dr. Dorothy Bailey), and a number of papers on chemical subjects.



DR. K. C. BAILEY.

Mr. Charles H. Rowe, M.A., got Fellowship in 1920, and became the Erasmus Smith's Professor of Mathematics in the University of Dublin in 1926. He is an ex-President of the University Philosophical Society, and has been Editor of the College Calendar since 1933. Mr. Rowe has contributed a number of papers to the Mathematical journals.

NOT AFRAID OF INQUIRY

SLIGO COUNCIL'S CHALLENGE

Referring to the memorial signed by 200 of the ratepayers calling for an inquiry into the affairs of Sligo Corporation, and appealing for the appointment of a commissioner or manager to administer the affairs of the town, the Mayor, Councillor William J. Tolan, said that the Corporation was not a bit afraid of an inquiry if it came. Those who signed the memorial said there was no visible reason for the increased expenditure, but they had not seen the hundreds of new houses built to clear Sligo's slums, the fine new technical schools, or the concrete roads. The Corporation had also cleared off £6,000 or £7,000 in bonds, issued forty years ago. With the exception of £500 that had been paid off. The memorial, he noted, had been signed by only 200 out of an approximate population of 14,000.

Councillor Keighron said that some of the signatories had never paid rates, and did not even belong to the county.

Councillor Hughes said that if there was proof of that it should be brought to the notice of the Minister.

Mr. J. Carlton Ward, junior, President of the Fairchild Engine and Airplane Company, yesterday estimated Allied 'plane output at 8,600 a month, or exactly double that of the Axis.—(Reuter.)

SWEEP RACE SENSATION!

Foam Crest flashes past the winning post. Pressing him hard *Radiologist* follows. Close up is *Mill Boy*. Near at hand is *Limekiln*. So results the Irish Lincoln. Galway has won the Sweepstake First Prize of £10,000, Dublin the second of £3,000, Glasgow the third of £1,000.

The winners' jubilation is short-lived. The jockey on the second horse objects to the decision. The Stewards immediately sit to consider the objection. The hearing takes a long time; so long, in fact, that the following race is run, and still the decision is in suspense. If the objection is upheld the Galway winner gets £55 instead of £10,000; the Dublin winner £10,000 instead of £3,000; the Glasgow winner £3,000 instead of £1,000; and the drawer of *Limekiln* £1,000 instead of £55.

Then there is the £1,000 stake for the race, and the thousands of pounds in wagers depending on the result. At last comes the decision—"Objection over-ruled." The Drawer of *Foam Crest* gasps—"May I never have to suffer another half-hour like that one."

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DOCTORS' REDUCED PETROL SUPPLIES

ORDER REVOKED IN FIVE CASES

FOLLOWING a remarkable protest, in the Dail last night, against the action of the Department of Supplies in reducing the petrol allowances of six professional men, the Minister (Mr. Sean Lemass) has decided to revoke the Order in respect of five of them.

"I accept," he said, "the statements made in letters they have written to me, denying that they authorised anyone to write to the Department on their behalf, applying for permission to use a car at week-ends to travel to a golf course."

In the case of the man who made the application, the full allowance is not being restored, and the Minister suggested that there was a duty on the Medical Association to consider the matter further. He revealed that the permit of a city doctor was yesterday cancelled.

As announced in the *Irish Times* on Tuesday, the "cuts" were imposed by the Department on the grounds that an application concerned to use a car for travelling to a golf course furnished evidence that the petrol allowance made to them was more than sufficient for the purposes for which it was given.

The protest was made by Mr. J. A. Costello (F.G., Dublin), who alleged that the application was a trap laid for the Department by a busy-body, and that the statement relating to the men, issued with the authority of the Minister, had foully slandered them. He revealed that the six professional men concerned were three leading surgeons and three notable physicians in Dublin.

It was a matter, said Mr. Costello, which reflected not merely on the civic honour and professional reputation of six of the leading Dublin surgeons and specialists, but also very seriously affected the public interest. "It has been given great publicity in the Press, and has given rise to something in the nature of a public scandal. The statements in the Dublin newspapers on Tuesday formed the principal topic of conversation and comment, and were read with indignation and dismay.

DOCTORS' DENIALS

"My purpose," said Mr. COSTELLO, "is to nail and catch up on a lie that has been given such great publicity, with the sanction of the Government and, in particular, of the Minister for Supplies, and, as far as is in my power, to see that reparation is done in this House—if not elsewhere—to those professional men so foully slandered by the statement issued with the authority of the Department of Supplies. The statement that those doctors applied for permission to use their cars to travel to a golf course is a lie," said Mr. Costello. "It was made deliberately by officials of the Department, who either knew it to be untrue or made it quite recklessly without making proper inquiries before it was disseminated through the public Press. I have the authority of each of these six gentlemen to say that they never applied to the Department directly or indirectly, for permission to use their cars for travelling to a golf course. Not merely did they not make such an application, but they never thought, even in their innermost hearts, of making it, and never authorised anybody to make it, and never knew that such an application was being made on their behalf."

The officials of the Department were notified that the person making the application had not the authority of the gentlemen concerned to make that application. Not once, but on three different occasions were they told specifically and clearly that any reference to this topic was made without the authority or sanction of these gentlemen. The first that any one of them knew of this was when they received a letter dated 16th May from the Secretary of the Department, intimating that their petrol allowance was to be reduced by two gallons from June 1. One would imagine that inquiries would have been made before a letter of that kind would have been sent penalising these six gentlemen after a trap had been laid for the bureaucrats by this busy-body, who made representations on his own behalf, and for nobody else. Without waiting to inquire from these gentlemen, whose solicitude for the poor of the city cannot be too greatly recognised, without giving them the ordinary courtesy and the ordinary right of a citizen, they were penalised, and it was published in the Press without any effort being made to know if they had any defence to make. And this was done at a time when a specific warning had been given to the private secretary to the Secretary of the Department of Supplies that the person who was speaking had no authority to speak for these doctors.

THE APPLICATION

There was never such a precipitate rush in the whole history of bureaucracy to penalise six gentlemen of high standing, and also to poison the public mind against the members of the medical profession generally, to glorify the officials of the Department of Supplies, whose name is mud in the public mind. The services of these men will live long after the Minister for Supplies is forgotten.

Mr. Costello said that immediately the doctors got the notification they replied indignantly denying that they ever made such request. At least one letter was written before any publicity was given to this matter, and if the Department had any sense of decency it would have written and expressed regret at having made a mistake. But no reparation had been made, and no replies had been given to their letters, but in the Press it was given the widest publicity in order to poison the public mind. The gentleman who wrote the letter had told the Department that he was writing in general about surgeons and doctors, who, if called to an emergency, required a car, and when asked for the names of the doctors he gave several names, and was proceeding to give more when he was stopped by the official, who said: "That is enough; these six men have applied." At the time he made the application he specified that he was acting on his own, without authority, and that on Monday, when he saw the statement in the papers, he would get hell for what he was doing.

MINISTER'S REPLY

Replying, Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Supplies, said that on May 4th a communication was received from a Dublin doctor, in which certain queries were addressed to the Department, including one relating to five doctors attached to a hospital, and all members of Portmarnock Golf Club, asking if they could use a different car each week-end to take them to Portmarnock, so that each one of them could make an urgent call if it was necessary. If Deputy Costello had confined his defence to the six doctors——

Deputy COSTELLO — It is not a defence.

Mr. LEMASS—Deputy Costello did not stick to the truth. He said the applicant was making a case on behalf of doctors in general, and that he mentioned certain names only to illustrate his point. But his letter to the Department was in reference to five doctors who were members of Portmarnock Golf Club.

"I think," said the Minister, "that fact demonstrates quite clearly that he was not making an attempt to justify doctors in general using their motor cars for going to golf courses, but was concerned with particular doctors, whose names he knew and who had membership of the same club. The applicant was communicated with on two occasions by telephone, and, on the first occasion, when asked to furnish the names of the doctors, said that he was not prepared to give them without prior consultation with them. On the second occasion he gave the names of the doctors on whose behalf he was speaking, but he did not say that he had secured their consent to give their names. Neither did he say that he had not secured it, and, in the light of what he had said on the previous day, it was the natural and reasonable assumption that the doctors concerned were aware of the representations that were being made.

"FAIR INFERENCE"

"I would say that it was a fair inference from the facts that these doctors were getting more petrol than they required for essential purposes for which petrol is given to doctors, and I, therefore, directed that their petrol allowances should be reduced by two gallons a month. When the doctor who had made the representations received my letter to that effect, he called to the Department and later telephoned, and in the course of that conversation he mentioned the fact that some of the doctors concerned had already been in touch with him about the letters they had received from my Department. Nevertheless, I have received letters from all these doctors denying that they gave him any authority to make representations on their behalf, and the doctor who made them now states that he acted on his own accord and without consulting any of the other doctors concerned. The six doctors are all men of eminence in their profession, and, while there are some features about the incident which are not easy to understand, I am prepared to accept without question the statements they had made in their letters, because I feel that men in their position would not be capable of such questionable conduct as to place their professional colleague in the very unenviable position in which he now finds himself. Therefore, I am prepared to restore their petrol allowances on the basis of their written statement. I cannot agree to restore the petrol allowance of the doctor who made the application, and who still considers, apparently, that the arrangement he suggested should be permitted.

I received representations from the Medical Association about these cases, and I think that the Medical Association have a duty to consider this position further, having regard to the account of the incident I have now given. I know that many doctors have misunderstood the requirements concerning the use of petrol allowed them. I am not accusing these particular gentlemen, but a number of cases have come to my notice of the use of cars by members of the medical profession in a manner not contemplated by the Department, and entirely unjustifiable in the present circumstances. I have had to cancel to-day the permit of another doctor, who had arranged for his car to call for him at the golf club. Petrol is given to doctors only for the purposes of attending emergency cases; not to earn their livelihood or for relaxation or recreation. It is the function of my Department to see that there is no abuse of the privileges given to doctors and others in the use of their cars. I think the indignation shown by Mr. Costello is the measure of public indignation if any evidence were forthcoming that doctors or others were using their cars for non-essential purposes. He did not feel under any obligation to produce legal proof of abuse before withdrawing a permit. His Department was entitled to act on any *bona fide* suspicion and withdraw a permit whenever there was reason to believe that the use of the permit was abused.

FACING A PROBLEM

Mr. McGILLIGAN (F.G.)—Against suspicion?

Mr. LEMASS—Yes.

Mr. LEMASS said that nobody had a right to a petrol allowance or the use of a motor car. He wanted doctors to realise that it was a privilege given to them, and that so long as it could be made available to them the onus was on them not to abuse it.

Dr. O'HIGGINS (F.G.) said it was a privilege for the patients not for the doctors.

Mr. LEMASS said he had spent twelve months trying to get the medical profession to look at it that way. They were always asking for more petrol and never tried to face the problem that would arise if petrol was no longer available and plan for the situation.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—How is a doctor to know when he is arousing the suspicion of the Department?

Mr. LEMASS—He has got to avoid the occasion of suspicion. (Laughter.)

"The position is," said the Minister, "that there is not sufficient petrol to get in the harvest, or to bring fuel to the towns and cities. We will have to reduce substantially our present consumption if we are to have a supply for the harvest. Doctors, clergymen, veterinary surgeons and others who have been granted the privilege of petrol allowances, a privilege the loss of which has cost others their livelihood, must consider the situation on every occasion on which they deem it necessary to use their cars."

When Mr. Costello pressed the Minister on the point that the Department had known on Monday that the applicant had not got the authority of the other doctors to make the application, Mr. LEMASS observed that if he were the Deputy he would not press the point further.

In reply to Mr. McGilligan, Mr. LEMASS said that the information supplied to the papers had been officially given.

BRITAIN'S INVASION POLICY

SIR R. ROSS ON EIRE

SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS, winding up the war debate in the House of Commons last night, stated that the bombing of Germany was part of Britain's strategy, and was the best way in which they could give "assistance to Russia until such time as we are able to make a carefully planned attack upon the Continent of Europe, which we intend to do."

The Cabinet, he said, had decided that priority should be given to "our gallant Russian Allies," for whose continued support no price was too high.

Replying to those critics who had said that Mr. Churchill ought to have attended the debate, he pointed out that Mr. Churchill felt that he had nothing to add at the moment to his recent war statement.

Other criticisms were summed up as a demand for a superman to control the Chiefs of Staffs, and the Premier as well.

"I do not think such a man exists," said Sir Stafford, "and if he did, I do not think he would be the best person to run a war in a democratic country." He promised that the Government would consider observations and criticisms of those who wished only to help towards our ultimate and common goal of victory."

Sir Ronald Ross (Conservative, Londonderry), in the course of the debate, spoke of the strategic importance of Ireland in the war, saying that no hostile Power could be allowed to set foot in the country. The boundary must be made an effective barrier, and the censorship made one between the United Kingdom and Eire.

Mr. Hore Belisha (Independent) said that the duty of the House was to separate the political and military elements in the direction of the war. "We have reached a very extraordinary pass, when in war debates on which we discharge our historic responsibility, we not only cannot have the benefit of Service Ministers, but we cannot have the advantage even of the presence of the Minister of Defence. He added that, while dive-bombers were shattering German defences and 2,000 Stukas roared over Russian positions at Kerch, there was no such weapon as the dive-bomber in the British Army.

Mr. Beverley Baxter (Conservative) said:—"Governments are born to die, and this Government will die; but I believe that before it dies it will—led by the Premier—bring us to victory."

Sir Stafford Cripps said that the War Cabinet desired to have the advice of a first class Defence Minister, and there was no one in Britain with a wider and longer experience of defence problems than the Prime Minister. Cabinet debates, he said, were active and lively, and the Premier, as Minister of Defence, submitted to that control of the Cabinet just as other Ministers did.

FRANCE AND U.S.

THREAT TO MARTINIQUE

WASHINGTON, Wednesday.—Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, said to-day that as a first step towards the demobilisation of the French ships at Martinique and Guadeloupe fuel oil was removed. Other measures were being taken to immobilise the ships fully, as well as their fighting power. Conversations, he said, were continuing from day to day.

M. Laval, in a statement, said that Admiral Hoover, who led the U.S. Mission to Martinique, threatened that if Admiral Robert, French High Commissioner, rejected the American demands, the U.S. Government would not be in a position to guarantee French sovereignty over the island.

Reuter says that Admiral Hoover merely warned Admiral Robert that if he rejected the American demands he would not be considered by the U.S. Government as "the ultimate authority for the duration" over French possessions in the Western Hemisphere, and the U.S. Government would have to take charge of French territories until after the war.

According to Reuter's correspondent at Vichy, M. Laval conferred to-day with numerous officials, including M. Brevie, Secretary for the Colonies; Rear-Admiral Auphan, Secretary of the Navy, and Admiral Platon, Secretary of State. He lunched with a number of Generals, including M. Bridoux, Secretary for War, and M. Dentz, and later saw M. Rochat, Secretary-General of the Department of Foreign Affairs.

THEIR HARDEST WAR

GOERING TELLS GERMANS

BERLIN, Wednesday.—Field-Marshal Goering said, in a speech in Berlin, to-day:—"This war is the hardest war Germany has had to fight. The winter campaign has been terrible. The Fuehrer has suffered deeply for his troops, but he knew he must not yield."

The power which emanated from the Fuehrer made itself felt among the German soldiers, he said, but Russia is driving her workers with the whip and the machine-gun, just as Genghis Khan lashed his hordes into battle.

"I speak to you, now that Spring is here, so that you may understand that sometimes one must be harsh and that harshness is the only way to achieve triumph. Three extremely hard winters are behind us. The elements have not been kind to us. Last year's harvest was bad. Even now, while we rejoice in the good weather, we hope it will rain soon, because we need rain."

The Field-Marshal, who was speaking at a ceremony at which decorations were conferred on German workers, continued: "Just as at the front, so in the armaments industry there are shock troops—workers who do more than is really humanly possible. To show the world how united we are, we have asked a small, unknown soldier, a corporal, to come back from the front and present the decorations.

"Jewish propaganda is making a mistake if it thinks that we can be divided as we were in 1918. Our Fuehrer is the guarantee of German victory. Only the German people has such a Fuehrer. Do you think that Providence has raised this man from such obscure beginnings only to push us back into the abyss? That is unthinkable."—(Reuter.)



Dublin Corporation official alters timing of a street lamp.

LAND DIVISION TROUBLE

DAMAGE IN TIPPERARY

AGRARIAN trouble in the County Tipperary was strongly condemned by the Minister for Lands when the estimate for the Department of Lands was agreed to in the Dail yesterday.

Observing that there should be no petty bullying against the national policy of dividing land on the basis of commonsense and equity, Mr. DERRIG said that he did not understand the arrogant disposition of people in Co. Tipperary, and failed to understand the viewpoint of deputies who thought that the Minister of an Irish Government could allow himself to be intimidated in regard to that matter. The Land Commission was under an Irish Government, manned by Irishmen carrying out the policy of the Government, and that should suit the people of Emly.

Efforts had been made, he said, to weaken the Government by a persistent attempt to interfere with the land division scheme there, and deputies who had criticised the Commission without having the necessary local knowledge had shown themselves weaklings and men without backbone in asking the people to pass resolutions advocating action against the Commission. Public property had been damaged, fences pulled down and workers intimidated.

AFTER THE WAR

In spite of difficulties they hoped, he said, to continue the migration scheme on a restricted scale, but there could be no new commitments. Last year over 22,000 acres had been divided, and up-to-date over three million acres had been divided.

Mr. DERRIG added that he understood that the Minister for Agriculture contemplated setting up an inquiry with regard to agricultural policy after the war, the idea being that a number of experts should consider how the policy should be shaped and what changes would be necessary.

WOOD FUEL RESERVE

The Forestry section of the Department of Lands proposes this year to establish a reserve of approximately 88,000 tons of wood fuel at a cost of £50,000, and 12,000 tons of firewood blocks will be provided for distribution by the Dublin Corporation.

This was revealed by Mr. T. O DERRIG, when he asked for the approval of the House to the estimate for forestry, which included £73,760 for the acquisition of land during the coming year, as against £46,036 last year. The nett expenditure for last year, he said, was £32,386, of which £28,604 was in respect of purchase of land. The aggregate area was 8,457¼ acres; a balance of £13,750 remained. Commitments to purchase land totalled £23,747 for an acreage of 110,753, and negotiations were in hand for a further 13,160 acres at £49,115. In 1941 the rate of planting (7,600 acres) had to be restricted to 5,961 acres, and in the coming year it would not be much in excess of 4,000 acres.

FUEL POSITION

Touching on the fuel problem, he said that there appeared to be little hope of an improvement, and the extent to which wood fuel would have to be provided from State forest lands could not be decided. For timber conversion extra provision had been made for the operation of portable saw-mills, and a considerable increase in receipts from saw-mills was anticipated. The sum provided included £10,000, which it was estimated would be received from the Dublin Corporation under a scheme at present under way, whereby the Department was making 12,000 tons of firewood blocks available for the Dublin Corporation for distribution. The provision of receipts from large timber sales had been reduced to £20,000, as against £25,000 last year.

BIG RAID ON MANNHEIM

40,000 FIRE BOMBS USED

Royal Air Force bombers on Tuesday night resumed the air offensive against Germany with a heavy attack on Mannheim, the second largest inland port in Europe. Big forces also raided St. Nazaire submarine base in France.

The attack on Mannheim—whose many important factories include the Badische Anilin Chemical Works—was the first heavy raid on Germany since May 8.—(Press Association.)

The Air Ministry adds: "Mines were laid in enemy waters.

"Aircraft of the Fighter Command attacked enemy aerodromes in France and Holland, and during the night an enemy aircraft was intercepted and destroyed in these attacks. Twelve aircraft of the Bomber Command and two of Fighter Command are missing."

BOMBS ON ENGLAND

The first bombs on Britain for eleven nights were dropped at a north-east coast town late on Tuesday night. A few people were killed and several are missing. Raiders were also over another north-east town, where they dropped flares. Relays of raiders dropped high explosive and incendiary bombs over a wide area. In one district four people were injured and a baby was killed.

Elsewhere, in the north-east and east of England, bombs did little damage. One person was injured.

ALGIERS "INCIDENT"

The Press Association states:—"With reference to the communiqué issued from Vichy on Tuesday night, it is learned in London that one of our Catalina flying boats was attacked by a French fighter 'plane on May 18th and forced to land in the sea some 20 miles north of Algiers. The crew, two of whom were wounded, were picked up by a British ship."

A semi-official announcement to-night states:—"It is learned from Dakar that a British 'plane, flying over French West Africa on May 10th, was fired on by A.-A. guns and forced to land at Conakry. Another British 'plane was forced to land under the same conditions on May 18th at Port Bouet."—(Reuter.)

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES AT KHARKOV

DESPATCHES from the front last night, quoted by Moscow radio, say that Soviet detachments operating on one Kharkov sector killed 600 Germans, captured a large quantity of arms and occupied new positions. On an adjoining sector a German unit was routed, 1,000 being killed, and more than 100 prisoners taken.

Fierce fighting is progressing on a number of sectors of the Leningrad front, where Soviet troops, supported by tanks, artillery and aircraft, are continuing their offensive.

German counter-attacks, resulting in fierce fighting, with frequent hand-to-hand clashes, are reported on the Kalinin front.

Successful attacks by tanks and infantry on the Smolensk front are claimed in a German High Command report. Several strong points and three villages were captured.—(Reuter.)

HUNDREDS OF TANKS LOST

MOSCOW, Wednesday.—A *Pravda* war correspondent telegraphs from the front: "The plains of the battle of Kharkov have become a blazing inferno. Hundreds of enemy tanks crawling over the Soviet fields and large numbers of their aircraft zooming in the sky are being relentlessly destroyed.

"During the last four days in one sector alone Soviet airmen, in co-operation with infantry, have destroyed 60 enemy 'planes, 130 tanks, 120 lorries and twenty guns, and burnt down several ammunition dumps. 800 German officers and men were killed. Six of our fighter aircraft destroyed fifteen aircraft on enemy aerodromes yesterday.

"In the fighting for a fortified point near the Kharkov vfront German automatic riflemen, who opened a hurricane of fire from houses in the village, were annihilated by Soviet tanks and infantry. The Russians reached the flank of the German defences and forced the enemy to retreat.

"Developing the success achieved on the previous day the Soviet troops continue to press the enemy back, and liberate villages. Losing their arms, the Germans are falling back, pursued in a number of places by Russian tanks. In one sector Soviet tanks wedged into the enemy's positions and, circumventing strong, well-organised anti-tank defences, pushed forward. The enemy was forced to retreat, and 37 guns were captured."—(Reuter.)

1,500 CASUALTIES

"Two detachments operating on one sector have, in the past 24 hours, accounted for 500 Germans and captured considerable war material.

"On a neighbouring sector a group of enemy troops was routed and 1,000 killed. Our troops captured 37 guns, 55 mortars, 15 machine-guns and other booty, and 108 prisoners were taken."

Reuter's Correspondent in Moscow says:—"The Red Army is moving deeper and deeper into the enemy's defence. Turrets of battling German tanks were literally hurled into the air yesterday when one massive German counter-blow was successfully withheld. Twenty-five tanks were destroyed or disabled."

LONDON, Wednesday — "Violent battles against very heavy tanks in the Kharkov sector were reported to-night by German radio, which said that the Germans were using reserve troops in the battle. The radio also said that the Germans had noticed the Russians were using a British-made tank. The radio claimed that fresh and rested German troops changed the battle from one of defence to attack. Although the Russians could hide in woodland and dash out on all sides unexpectedly one tank after the other was destroyed."—(A.P.)

NEW POSITIONS

LONDON, Wednesday — A relay from the south-west front, broadcast by Moscow radio to-night, stated:—"During the last 24 hours our troops, operating in the Kharkov direction, continued their offensive operations and repulsed enemy counter-attacks. They have occupied new positions and strengthened them, at the same time inflicting heavy losses on the enemy."—(A.P.)

To-night's Soviet midnight communiqué reports: "During May 20 our troops carried out offensive operations in the Kharkov direction and, repelling enemy counter-attacks, advanced.

"In the Izyum-Barvenkovo direction our troops beat off several attacks of the German Fascist troops. In the Kerch Peninsula fighting continued in the eastern part of the Peninsula. On May 19 27 German aircraft were destroyed. Our losses were 12 aircraft. Our warships in the Barents Sea sank three enemy transports with a total tonnage of 26,000.

"CLOSE CONSULATES"

REQUEST TO FRANCE

OTTAWA, Wednesday.—Mr. MacKenzie King, Canadian Premier, announced that the Government had requested that French Consulates in Canada should be closed.

Making the announcement in the Dominions House of Commons, he said that the Government had requested that Vichy agencies also should be closed. The request did not mean a breach of diplomatic relations with France, he added. Present conditions, however, had so reduced the duties of Consular offices that they rendered little service, and had become objects of suspicion. It was thought advisable to ask the French Minister to take action to close them.

French Consular offices are at Vancouver, Winnipeg, Quebec and Montreal, and agencies at Toronto, Edmonton and Calgary. The slender diplomatic link between Ottawa and Vichy is the last remaining between the Pétain régime and the British Empire.—(Reuter.)

UNAUTHORISED USE OF GAS

Already many of those who are using gas during the restricted periods have been warned by the Gas Company, and in future they will have their supply disconnected. Yesterday an *Irish Times* reporter learned that the company are initiating a campaign to curb the people who are, according to Mr. Lemass in the Dail on Tuesday, "sabotaging" Dublin's gas supply. "Naturally I cannot reveal the exact steps which we are taking," an official said, "but you can take it that they will be sufficiently drastic to serve their purpose."

Mr. Lemass revealed in the Dail that of the 8.3 million cubic feet of gas being used every day not less than two million cubic feet are consumed during the "off" hours.

NEWSPRINT

The cutting-down of the quantity of paper used by newspapers to 15 per cent. of their 1939 consumption, which has been provided for in a recent Government Order, was discussed with officials of the Department of Supplies yesterday by a deputation representing the Typographical Association. Having stressed the threat of unemployment and of the extinction of a number of provincial newspapers, which would result from the working of the Order, the delegation came away with the impression that the Department would give favourable consideration to their views.

"EARLY VICTORY"—

U.S. STATE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, Wednesday.—Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, saw "some grounds for hope" that a united nations' victory might come sooner than had been expected earlier this year. He said that America's powers and facilities had been developing on a more and more massive scale for an outright offensive war. It was only natural that calculations of the duration of the war should be made in the light of this fact.—(Reuter.)

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Hilton Edwards-Micheal MacLiammoir Present A SUMMER
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Booking Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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Nightly at 6.30 p.m. Matinee Sat., 2 p.m.
HAMLET,
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METROPOLE To-day at 2.0 4.20,6.50,9.20
Walt Disney's "RELUCTANT DRAGON."
With Robt. Benchley. Also "UNEXPECTED UNCLE."

GRAFTON Continuous 2 to 10.30 2.30, 4.40, 6.50, 9.5.
SONJA HENIE, JOHN PAYNE, in 'SUN VALLEY SERENADE,'
With GLEN MILLER & HIS ORCHESTRA.
TO-MORROW (FRIDAY):
MELVYN DOUGLAS—RUTH HUSSEY in "HOLD THAT MAN."
BOOK EARLY FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

CORINTHIAN.
Gene Autry, in "DOWN MEXICO WAY." 2.15, 4.41, 7.0, 9.26.
Phillip Terry, in "PUBLIC ENEMIES." 3.29, 5.55, 8.14.

THEATRE DE LUXE
Dublin's Super Cinema—3-10.30 p.m.
Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell "BLOOD AND SAND."
NAZIMOVA. At 3.23, 5.55, 8.27.

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Bigger, Better and Brighter. Maytime No. 3. Noel Purcell, Eire O'Reilly and Star Cast. Film—"THE PHANTOM SUBMARINE." Show at 4 and 7.15. Film at 3, 6 and 9.15.

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Binnie Barnes, Gilbert Ronald in "ANGELS WITH BROKEN WINGS."
Also Gene Autry, Mary Lee in "BACK IN THE SADDLE."

GREEN—3.20, 6.15, 8.50. Bette Davis, Errol Flynn, "The Sisters." Also "Adventures of Jane Arden." Fri.: Bette Davis, George Brent, "Dark Victory."

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REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.20, 4.30, 6.40, 8.55.
WILLIAM POWELL, MYRNA LOY, in "THE SHADOW OF THE THIN MAN."
FRIDAY—Book for Sunday Night.
1942's Unusual Film!
JOEL McCREA, VERONICA LAKE. "SULLIVAN'S TRAVELS."

SAVOY At 2.55, 5.05, 7.14, 9.20.
RETAINED 2ND WEEK.
ALICE FAYE, JOHN PAYNE, CARMAN MIRANDA,
"WEEK-END IN HAVANA,"
With CESAR ROMERO.
Feature Commences at 8.15 Sunday Night.
Feature Ends 9.30 p.m.

CAPITOL TO-DAY AT 2.30, 4.39, 6.48, 8.57.
Robert Montgomery, Evelyn Keyes, in "HERE COMES MR. JORDAN."
—— TO-MORROW ——
Clark GABLE, Jean HARLOW, Rosalind RUSSELL, Wallace BEERY in a Mighty Dynamic Re-issue,
"CHINA SEAS."
Dine in The Hall Café or Oak Lounge.

CARLTON LAST DAY! 2.30, 4.40, 6.50, 9.5.
ABBOTT and COSTELLO in "RIDE 'EM, COWBOY."
To-morrow (Friday):
The Year's Biggest Musical Romance, "TIME OUT FOR RHYTHM."
Ann Miller, Rosemary Lane, Allen Jenkins, Rudy Vallee, The 3 Stooges & Joan Merrill.
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WILLIAM HOLDEN, CLAIRE TREVOR, in "TEXAS."
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COMING FRIDAY: "TARZAN'S SECRET TREASURE."
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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VACANCIES FOR JUNIOR EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

An Open Competitive Examination will begin on 7th July, 1942, for appointments to not less than 5 situations as Junior Executive Officer (Male or Female) in the Civil Service.

AGE LIMITS: 18-20 years, on 1st August, 1942. An extension of the upper age limit is allowed to established Civil Servants.

STANDARD OF EXAMINATION: Leaving Certificate, Secondary Schools' Programme, 1941-42.

SALARY SCALES: Women and unmarried men, £90—£7 10s.—£210—£10—£250, with efficiency bar at £180. Married men, £90—£7 10s.—£105—£10—£175—£15—£310—£10—£350, with efficiency bar at £250; plus children's allowances. Cost-of-living bonus is payable in addition; at present the bonus on £90 is £76 10s.; on £250, £134 19s.; and on £350, £164 8s.

LATEST TIME FOR ACCEPTING COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS: 5.15 p.m. on 9th JUNE, 1942.

Regulations, Syllabuses and Application Forms may be obtained free from An Runai, Coimisiun na Stat-Sheirbhise, 45 Sraid Uach. Ó Conaill, Baile Atha Cliath, M.9.

The Book containing the Question Papers and Results of the July, 1941, Examination is on sale at the Government Publications Sale Office, 3 College Street, Dublin, price 1s. 9d. (postage 4d. extra).

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COUNTY OF DUBLIN.
REVISION OF THE LISTS OF JURORS, 1942.

Notice is hereby given that the Court for the Revision of the Lists of Jurors of the several Districts of the County of Dublin will be opened by me at the COURTHOUSE, GREEN STREET, DUBLIN, on TUESDAY, 26th MAY, 1942, at 11-30 o'clock a.m., and will be continued from day to day until completed.

The Lists of Jurors for the County of Dublin for revision will be found for inspection at the Offices of the Secretary of the Dublin County Council, 11 Parnell Square, Dublin; the Borough Manager, Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire, and the Town Clerk, Howth, and also at my Office at the Law Courts, Chancery Place, Dublin, and will continue open for inspection up to the said 26th May, 1942.

Any person whose name is set forth on such Lists of Jurors, and who desires to have his name removed from such Lists by me, must attend at the Court above named, and give evidence as to the grounds on which he claims to have his name so removed. Any person qualified and liable to serve as a Juror, but exempt from so serving by reason only of being included amongst the persons mentioned in Part II. of the First Schedule to the Juries Act, 1927, may apply in the prescribed form to have his or her name included in such Lists.

Dated this 29th day of April, 1942.
SEAMUS O CONCHUBHAIR, Registration Officer, County Registrar, Dublin.
Law Courts, Chancery Place, Dublin.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

HIBERNIAN BIBLE SOCIETY.
TO-DAY (THURSDAY).
12 to 6—SALE OF WORK AND EGG MARKET, in the Dawson Hall, 42 Dawson street.
Luncheon—1 to 2.30 p.m.
3 p.m.—OPENING CEREMONY.
By James Hubbard Clark, Esq.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
DOMESTIC REFUSE COLLECTION.
Please note that there will be No Collection of Domestic Refuse in any area on Whit Monday, 25th May, 1942.
P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 21st May, 1942.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
VACANCY FOR COMPTOMETER OPERATOR.
Applications are invited for the abovementioned post. Minimum age, 21 years on the 1st June, 1942.
Latest time for receipt of applications, 12 noon on the 1st June, 1942.
Further particulars as to qualifications, salary, etc., obtainable at the Office of the Finance and General Purposes Section, City Hall.
P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 21st May, 1942.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
FLORENCE SOPHIA JOHNSTON, late of 16 Herbert Park, Donnybrook, Dublin, Spinster. Deceased.

Notice is given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the said Deceased, by her Will dated the 22nd day of January, 1941, directed her Executor to "pay to the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland the sum of two hundred pounds, the interest on which is to be applied annually for the Assessment Fund of the Parish of Celbridge in memory of my father, the late Captain Johnston, of 'Roselawn,' on condition that the Select Vestry of that parish, out of other funds at their disposal, keep the railings round the Johnston grave painted and repaired and the Johnston grave in Kildrought graveyard in proper care"; and, subject to the payment of other specific and pecuniary legacies, bequeathed the residue of her property equally between Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital and the Royal City of Dublin Hospital Cancer Research Fund.

The said Deceased died on the 14th day of March, 1942, and Probate of her Will was granted on the 21st day of April, 1942, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, to Gerald Edward Grove-White, of 13 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin, Solicitor, the sole Executor named in the said Will.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1942.
WHITE and WHITE, Solicitors for the Executor, 13 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and all persons concerned.

JOHN T. LENNON, late of Glenmore, 29 Park avenue, Sandymount, Dublin, Deceased.—Will all persons having claims against the Estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 15th May, 1942, forward particulars of same forthwith to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors—McCANN and MURPHY, 32 Nassau street, Dublin, C.2.

COMPANY NOTICES.

MASON AND BARRY, LIMITED.
(S. Domingos Mine, Portugal.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fiftieth Annual General Meeting of the members of Mason and Barry, Limited, will be held at 87 Cannon street, London, E.C.4, on Thursday, 28th May, at 12.30 p.m. precisely, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' and Auditors' reports for the year 1941, approving the general balance sheet at 31st December, 1941, the election or appointment of Directors, the appointment of Auditors, and the transaction of general business.

The holders of share warrants to bearer will be furnished with a certificate admitting them to the meeting, upon their depositing share warrants representing not less than ten shares, at the temporary offices of the company, the Ford Cottage, Chobham, Woking, Surrey, three days before the day of meeting, together with a notice, in writing, stating their names and addresses.

The Transfer Books will be Closed from Thursday, the 21st May, to Thursday, the 11th June, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
GERALD E. DALE, Secretary.
87 Cannon street, London, E.C.4.
20th May, 1942.

CONTRACTS.

DUN LAOGHAIRE BOROUGH CORPORATION.
TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS FOR REPAIRS TO ARTISANS' DWELLINGS AND OTHER CORPORATION PROPERTY.

The Dun Laoghaire Borough Corporation invite Tenders from competent Contractors for Repairs to Artisans' Dwellings and other Corporation property in the Dun Laoghaire Borough Area for the period ending 31st March, 1943.

Schedule of Repairs and Form of Tender may be obtained at my office during office hours on payment of a sum of One Pound, which sum will be refunded on receipt of a bona fide Tender not subsequently withdrawn.

Completed Tender Forms, enclosed in sealed envelopes, which should be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Repairs," will be received by me up to 1 o'clock p.m. on 2nd June, 1942.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

It will be a condition of the contract that the accepted Contractors must satisfy the Corporation that they have, or will establish, suitable workshops within the Borough area during the period of the contract, and will maintain suitable and sufficient staff for the performance of the work.

A contract under seal, to be prepared by the Corporation's Law Agent, must be completed by the accepted Contractors and their Sureties.

T. O. O'MAHONY, Borough Manager and Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire, 21st May, 1942.

LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Thursday, May 21.

THE REGISTRAR OF WARDS OF COURT.—Before Mr. Donovan, 11—Murphy, minors, vouch account, P. M. Seales and Son; Gibbons, minors, vouch account, W. C. Cooke.

THE HIGH COURT.—In Court 1. The Hon. the President, 11. For Judgment—Mulvey v. Coffey. Exparte Motions. On Notice—O'Toole v. Palmer and another; Martin v. Pilkington and others. Not before 12—12th Sec. adj., Patrick J. Ruttledge; motion adj., W. E. Chapman; 52nd Sec. petition, A. J. and A. Robinson; 12th Sec., Branigan and Matthews; 15th Sec. petn., Hunter and Burland; 52nd Sec. petn., H. P. F. Donegan and Son; 52nd Sec. petn., O'Brien and Binchy; motion, Patrick J. Ruttledge. Minors—Feeney, minors, orig. summons re-entered, H. O'Donnell; Farrelly, minors, motion, T. W. Delany and Co.; Heavey, a minor, orig. summons, L. E. O'Dea; Westby, minors, confirm cert., H. Sheil. In Court 2. The Hon. Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, 11.30. Motion—Royal Bank of Ireland v. Kelso. Summons—Bank of Ireland v. Dunne.

NON-JURY ACTION.—In Court 3. The Hon. Mr. Justice Hanna, 11. For Judgment—Giltrap v. Duggan.

CIRCUIT APPEALS.—In Court 5. The Hon. Mr. Justice Geoghegan, 11.30—Blake v. O'Mahony (Cork).

BANKRUPTCY.—In Court No. 6, 11—Birmingham, confirm sale, J. L. Scallan and Co.; Lemon, audit and dividend, W. J. M. Coulter and Co.

In Court 6. The Hon. Mr. Justice Black, 11. Motion (for judgment)—Osborne, decd., Clinton v. Osborne. Motions—Yorkshire Insurance Co. and Insurance Act, 1936; Love, decd., McClean v. Barnardo. Summons—S.L. Acts and Lynch's settlement.

LAND COMMISSION COURT. — Land Purchase Acts. At the Courts of Justice, Four Courts. Court No. 4. Before the Judicial Commissioner, 11. Exparte Applications. In Chamber—Henry J. Brownrigg, allocate; Thomas C. Fagan, do.; Rita N. Flower, do.; reps. of Rev. John Richey, amd., etc., do.; reps. of James Woodhouse, decd., do.; Trustees St. Vincent de Paul Society, do.; Lily Elizabeth A. Cooke, do.; Caroline Grace Fairholme, do.; Elizabeth Byrne, do. In Court—The Adelaide Hospital, A.S.; Wilson, minors, amd., etc., do.; Mabe G. Moore, do. Motions—Francis Fredericka K. Eager, motion; Baron Castletown (now Viscount Doneraile), do.

LAND JUDGE MATTERS.—Court 4. The Hon. Mr. Justice Maguire (at the conclusion of the Land Commission List). Exparte Applications—Richards' Estate, allocate.

THE TAXING MASTER'S OFFICE.—Master O'Hanlon, 11. Exparte Taxations—Alcorn, decd., Maxwell, Weldon and Co. Master Kennedy, 11—Kelly to Keaney, W. H. Keaney; Curran, decd., J. Fagan; Curran, decd., T. Doyle; Dublin Co. Council v. Gleeson, T. Early; Hannigan v. Walsh, M. Noyk; MacGrath and Solicitors' Act, Hall v. MacGrath, McCracken and Son; Hall to MacGrath, McCracken and Son.

THE EXAMINERS' OFFICE.—Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), 11—Carter v. Stubbs, sign cert.; Hibernian Bank v. Flynn, sign cert.; A. Love, decd., McClean v. Barnardo, sign cert. 12—O'Brien v. O'Brien; M. Kelly, decd., Gleeson v. Christian; T. Stack, decd., National Bank v. Stack. Before Mr. Greville (Room 103), 12—Cos. Act and Irish Employers' Mutual Insurance Assn.; Staunton v. Staunton; Hibernian Bank v. Briscoe; Oulton v. Cooper; Royal Bank of Ireland v. Higgins; K. F. Jennings, decd., Wheeler v. Keays.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion square, before Mr. Grove-White, 11—Estate of Buchanan, discharge ruling and settle schedule. 12—Estate of Cooper, vouch item. 3—Estate of resumed holding of Patrick Kavanagh. Before Mr. Sullivan, 11—Fishery of Gobbett, discharge ruling. Before Mr. Ryan, 11—Estate of Thomas Studdert, 3.15—Estate of R. N. Eaton. Before Mr. Jackson, 11—Estate of Col. Eyre Powell and anor., discharge ruling and settle schedule. Before Mr. Spain, 11—Estate of reps. Bridget McGeever, vouch item.

CIRCUIT CRIMINAL COURT.—Green Street Courthouse, Dublin, 11 o'clock.

CIRCUIT COURT OF JUSTICE.—Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, 11.45. Motion—Roger McGowan, a minor. Applications for Summary Judgment—McMorrough v. McMahon; Byrne v. McArdle; Ryan v. Judge; Noyk v. Sweeney; Perrin v. Tagart; O'Carroll v. Caulfield. Applications for Music and Singing Licence. (Extension of Time.)—Mathew A. Heron, applct. Ejectments—Keogh v. O'Toole; Corry and anor. v. Kennedy and anor.; Cranley v. O'Callaghan; O'Callaghan v. Cranley (Rent Act); Clondalkin Paper Mills, Ltd., v. Hogan; Irish Civil Ser. (P.) Bldg. Socy. v. O'Brien; Sammon v. Houlihan.

THE COUNTY REGISTRAR.—Green Street Courthouse, Dublin, 12.30. Taxation of Costs—Fitzsimons v. Corpn. of Dublin. Equity—Siev v. Gilmer; Scally v. Attorney-General.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — 10, Matins, 4, Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins, 3, Evensong.
ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8 p.m., Organ and Vocal Recital.
ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson street—10.15, Intercession, 11.30, H.C.
CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—7.45, H.C. 9.45, Intercession.

Irish Times

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1942.

British Strategy

Many of the people of Great Britain have begun to ask an uneasy question. It first entered their minds after the fall of Singapore, and has called increasingly for an answer as the Japanese have driven their way northwards through Burma. What these people want to know is, roughly, as follows: Is the supreme direction of British strategy in the most capable hands? Does real co-ordination exist between the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force? The query was raised more or less openly some weeks ago by Sir Edward Grigg, M.P., who put forward the suggestion that something on the lines of a Supreme General Staff, co-ordinating the efforts of the three fighting services and responsible for the planning of all major strategy, was needed. His views received powerful support—notably that of *The Times* newspaper, which is by no means addicted to "stunts"—and since then the matter has been raised in both Houses of Parliament. In general, the Lords were in favour of a change, and several speeches to the same effect have been made in the House of Commons during the past two days. As matters stand, the work of the three arms is co-ordinated by Mr. Winston Churchill in his capacity as Minister of Defence. When the chiefs of the three Staffs meet to decide upon strategic problems, the chair is taken either by Mr. Churchill himself or by his representative, General Ismay; and it is argued by critics of this system that the proceedings are bound to be influenced by Mr. Churchill's personal opinions—possibly for the better, but possibly also for the worse. The critics do not maintain that his advice has been bad, either generally or on any specific occasion. They point, however, to the indisputable fact that, whereas the Royal Navy has held its own upon the sea and the Royal Air Force in Western Europe, affairs have not gone so well as they ought in the Near East, and have gone very badly, indeed, in the Far East; and they add that in these theatres of war there has been little evidence of any really thorough co-ordination of the three fighting Services—which is the essence of modern war, as practised by the Germans. In effect, they want the strategic planning of the war taken out of the Cabinet's hands and placed in those of professional soldiers. The Cabinet, of course, would have the final decision on major movements, but its right would be confined to approval or veto; it could not initiate strategy, or even influence that strategy, when once initiated by the new Supreme Staff.

The proposal has received a poor reception from the Government. Mr. Churchill himself has damned it with silence; perhaps, he recalls an occasion in 1915 when his own opinion might have prevailed with advantage over that of the generals. Yesterday Sir Stafford Cripps spoke scornfully of the demand for a military "superman" to control the entire British strategy. It has been observed, for the Government, that the German system—which is virtually what the advocates of the scheme demand—has not been invariably successful; it has not been "foolproof," for example, in Russia. The real challenge to the proposal, however, is rooted in British tradition. In Great Britain, as in the United States, the fighting Services always have been the servant of the civil arm; no general, or combination of generals, ever becomes so powerful as to challenge the will of the Government. The supreme control, in war as in peace, rests with the Cabinet, which is responsible to Parliament. That, broadly, is the Government's answer to this new demand. Whether it will satisfy the people remains to be seen. If they convince themselves that an all but omnipotent General Staff will turn the tide of war in their favour, they will have it, tradition or no tradition. Their feelings on this subject are in conflict with their loyalty to Mr. Churchill. By all evidence, they cannot conceive of any other leader, but simultaneously they have come to believe that the war could be handled more competently by a rearrangement of its machinery. They are led to this view not only by a study of regrettable incidents of the past, but by their hope of a change of fortune in the future. With or without reason, they believe that the time has come to take the offensive against the "Axis," and they want to see the job properly handled, and not bungled. Noting the success of the "commando" raids, they have noted likewise that these operations are under the control of a single chief, Lord Louis Mountbatten, and ask themselves if similar co-ordination would not be equally effective in the higher and broader spheres of strategy. The whole proposal, needless to say, is full of danger. A British Keitel may not be readily available, and there is always the peril that Mr. Churchill might resent the implied attack upon his methods and resign his leadership—which would be a moral calamity to Great Britain. Yet the demand is growing, and the Government, however strongly entrenched, cannot overlook it.

The Doctors' Dilemma

The heated controversy in Dail Eireann yesterday regarding six Dublin medical men who had their petrol allowances reduced, might be described as a storm in a tea-cup, or, at any rate, in a carburettor. It seems that at the beginning of the present month the Department of Supplies was approached by a doctor, who posed certain questions to the officials in charge of petrol allowances. The suggestion was that six Dublin practitioners — three surgeons and three physicians of high standing in their profession—might be allowed to take a motor-car to a well-known golf links at the week-ends in order that, in the event of emergency calls, one or other of them might be able to get back to the city with reasonable speed. On the face of it, this suggestion would seem to be eminently reasonable; but the Department took a different view of the matter, and the six medical men concerned were informed on May 16th that their petrol allowances would be reduced by two gallons a month as from June 1st. A certain degree of piquancy is given to the situation by the fact that five of the six doctors seem to have been completely ignorant of their colleague's *démarche*. He is alleged to have approached the Department of Supplies without either their knowledge or their consent, and the first that they heard of the matter was the communication from the authorities reducing their allowances. Mr. J. A. Costello, of the Fine Gael Party, raised the question on the adjournment last night, and described the affair as a trap laid for the bureaucrats by a busy-body. The Minister for Supplies said that he accepted without question the statement of the five doctors that they had known nothing of their colleague's action, and that, in the circumstances, he had decided to restore their normal allowances of petrol. He added, however, that in the case of the original applicant to the Department the reduction must stand. Furthermore, he said, another Dublin doctor's motoring licence had been cancelled because he had ordered his car to pick him up at a golf course. All is well that ends well. There is no doubt that the five golfing doctors, on whose behalf a well-meaning colleague approached the Ministry of Supplies, had a definite grievance, inasmuch as the request for permission to take a motor car to Portmarnock was made without their knowledge; but, on balance, we are inclined to think that the incident will do more good than harm. Mr. Lemass explained to the Dail that there is not enough petrol in the country to remove the harvest a few months hence. In these circumstances, it is essential that everybody shall realise that the utmost economy in the use of petrol is a national necessity. Doctors are granted certain allowances, not in order to earn their livings, far less to enjoy themselves, but solely and simply in order that they may be able to answer urgent calls from sick patients. Members of other professions must find their way to and from golf courses as best they can; and doctors, in common with the rest of the community, must accommodate themselves to the changed circumstances. We are glad that the Department of Supplies is keeping a weather eye on those individuals who, for one reason or another, are being given petrol allowances. We hope that its officials will act with entire impartiality, and that the clergy, as well as medical men, will be kept strictly within the limits which have been imposed on them by the Ministry. Ireland is passing through a period of real emergency, which is likely to become substantially graver within the next six months. There can, and must, be no exceptions to the general rule regarding the use of motor-cars.

THE Hon. Arthur Francis Benjamin Guinness, eldest son of Viscount Elveden, heir to the Earl of Iveagh, was five years old yesterday.

The Marchioness of Kildare has left Dublin after a brief visit.

Major J. N. Purdon has arrived in Dublin from Co. Cavan, and is staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Lady Frederick Moore, Miss D. Waller and Mrs. E. H. Alton were among those present yesterday at the May Fête at Trinity Hall, Dartry road, in aid of University Missions.

The engagement is announced between Patrick Gerald, second son of the late William Troddyn and of Mrs. Troddyn, 1 Brighton square, Rathgar, and Mary Bernadette (Betty), elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCarthy, "Rosheen," 35 Orwell Park, Rathgar.

The marriage arranged between Dr. Anthony Eustace and Miss Evelyn Dick will take place quietly at University Church, Stephen's Green, on Tuesday, June 2nd.

Switzers announce the arrival of a new delivery of the celebrated "Berlei" Controlettes, Belts and Brassieres. an excellent opportunity to be fitted with a Figure Foundation expressly designed for your own individual type of figure. There are expert Berlei-trained Fitters always in attendance at Switzers. 'Phone—76821.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Femina, Ltd, have now on show a lovely collection of smart Suits and Coats, gay floral Frocks, attractive Afternoon and Evening Wear, at 9 Wicklow street.

Madame Josephine wishes to announce that she is now showing a new collection of Suits in both plain and printed uncrushable linen, suitable for holiday wear, at 43 Nassau street.

At Arnott's Beauty Shop. The much sought-after Lentheric preparations. Also the popular "Madame Pomeroy" skin food.

Apply Peggy Sage nail polish to your fingertips and your hands will look well-groomed and attractive. Various lovely shades are available to harmonise with current dress-fabrics' hues.

Model Suit in iris blue with the new crossover tunic moulded to figure.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

X-ray fitting of Shoes is the up-to-date system for assuring foot comfort. Stephens & Bourke, 26 Stephen's Green.

Maguire and Gatchell are displaying Table Glass of Fashion and Exquisite China, most acceptable and useful Presents, at 10 Dawson street, Dublin.

Special show Straw and Felt Hats for Whitsun.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson st.

To LADIES. — Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances. Artificial Silk, Elastic Stockings, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings, stretching both ways.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton Street.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau Street, Dublin.

LEGAL DEBATE AWARDS

At the annual general meeting of the Solicitors' Apprentices' Debating Society of Ireland, held in the Solicitors' Buildings, Four Courts, on Tuesday night, the auditor, Mr. P. P. O'Sullivan, reviewed the fifty-eighth session, one of the peak years of the society. Many tributes were paid to the memory of the late Mr. W. G. Wakely, and a vote of congratulation to Mr. Eric A. J. Plunkett on his appointment as secretary of the Incorporated Law Society was passed.

The following medal awards were made: Oratory — Incorporated Law Society's gold medal, Brendan P. O'Byrne, B.A.; society's silver medal, Patrick P. O'Sullivan, B.A.; special certificate, Edward J. Durnin.

Legal Debate—President's gold medal, P. P. O'Sullivan, B.A.; society's silver medal, Liam D. Boyd.

Impromptu—Vice-president's gold medal, P. P. O'Sullivan, B.A.; vice-president's silver medal, Liam D. Boyd.

Irish Debate—Society's gold medal, Frank J. Martin; society's silver medal, P. P. O'Sullivan, B.A.

First Year Speaker's Medal — Society's silver medal, Ignatius K. Lynch.

The following officers were elected:—Auditor, Louis V. Nolan; hon. record secretary, Liam M. Collins; hon. correspondence secretary, George A. Russell; hon. treasurer, Rory O'Connor; committee, Messrs. P. J. Brennan, D. H. O'Byrne, J. P. M. McNally, and P. P. O'Sullivan, B.A.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

Morning	4.1	4.40
Evening	4.35	5.31

ON THE WIRELESS

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.0—To-day's Historical Picture. 6.5—Siamsa Cheis Teineadh, Peadar O Dubhda. 6.25—Ceol Rinnce: Marcella Donnelly (fiddle). 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"For the Housekeeper," featuring Gardening and Listeners' Requests. 7.35—Richard Sydney (tenor). 7.45—Dublin Shakespeare Society present Scenes from "The Taming of the Shrew." 8.30—Symphony Concert, sponsored by W.A.A.M.A., relayed from Mansion House, Dublin. 9.30—"Countries not in the War." No. 1, Switzerland, J. P. Harman. 9.45—Light Music. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Scottish Half-Hour.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—Prayers. 7.0—News. 7.15—Kitchen Front. 7.20—Records. 8.0—Light Orchestra. 8.45—Organ. 9.5—Schools. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Schools. 11.0—Organ. 11.30—Workers' Playtime. 12.0—News. 12.15—"Calling the Home Front." 12.20—Band. 1.0—Schools. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—"Wat'cheor, Geordie?" 3.0—Ballad Concert. 3.30—Fortnight's Films. 3.45—Edward Cooper. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.5—Service in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—"Black Gallery." 5.45—"Copper with a Cornet." 6.10—Farming To-day. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—With the Armstrongs Again. 7.0—"Follow the Drum." 7.30—"New Judgment." 8.0—News. 8.25—War Commentary. 8.40—"Marching On." 9.10—Service. 9.30—"Cookoo! Cookoo!" 9.35—Schubert. 10.5—Band. 11.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—"Reveille!" 6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 6.30—Five Years Ago. 7.0—News. 7.15—Records. 8.0—Light Orchestra. 8.45—Organ. 9.15—"The Girls I Left Behind Me." 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Salon Orchestra. 10.40—"Swing It!" 11.10—Organ. 11.30—Workers' Playtime. 12.0—News. 12.15—Piano Music. 12.30—Scots Concert. 1.0—"The Street Singer." 1.20—Geraldo. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—"Wat'cheor, Geordie?" 3.0—Ballad Concert. 3.30—Organ. 3.45—"Round the World and Back Again." 4.15—"Ack-Ack, Beer-Beer." 5.0—News. 5.30—"Papers! Papers!" 5.45—Radio Rhythm Club. 6.10—"Calling Australians." 6.30—"At Home to the Forces." 7.30—Sandy's Half-Hour. 8.0—News. 8.25—"Shakespeare and England." 8.40—"Marching On." 9.10—Allied Forces in Southern Serenade. 9.45—Organ. 10.5—Close down.

METHODIST CHURCH
GENERAL COMMITTEE

The General Committee of the Methodist Church in Ireland resumed its deliberations in the Centenary Church, Dublin, yesterday morning. The President of the Church again presided.

The report of the Supernumerary Ministers' and Ministers' Widows' Fund was presented by the Revs. Johnstone Hunter and W. H. Stewart and Major A. W. Johnson, M.B.E. During the year legacies amounting to almost £4,000 had been received, and, while the contributions from circuits had not yet been completed, it was anticipated that the income of the fund would equal that of the previous year. The committee unanimously requested the Conference to reappoint Major Johnson to the office of lay treasurer of the fund.

The Rev. W. H. Smyth, M.A., and R. Lee Cole, M.A., B.D., submitted the report of the General Education Department. Educational work had been interrupted in Belfast by air raids, and some schools had been completely destroyed. There were fifteen national schools in Eire under Methodist management. Grants were approved for various purposes amounting to £125.

The Rev. John England reported that a special committee, appointed the previous day, recommended that an additional minister be appointed to Carlisle Circuit, Belfast, and that an additional agent be appointed to the Ballymacarrett Circuit, Belfast. The committee approved, and a resolution was adopted requesting the coming Conference to appoint a special committee to inquire into the reorganising of the work of the Church in view of post-war problems.

The Board of Examiners, which met in the afternoon, recommended that Mr. E. M. Colvin and Mr. T. D. Forbes be accepted as candidates for the ministry, and that Mr. W. S. Forsythe and Mr. A. Sleath be provisionally accepted and placed on the waiting list.

OVERSEAS MISSIONS

The Missionary Committee met on Tuesday evening. The Treasurer reported that the amounts received from the churches were £600 in advance of the same time last year. Legacies had increased by £2,500. The Women's Department also reported an increase, so far, in the income for the year. Arrangements were made for the Conference missionary meeting. Mr. R. C. Booth, B.A.I., will preside, and the speakers will be the Rev. R. McVeigh (Ceylon) and Dr. John Kearney (Sierra Leone). Mr. Booth and Miss Martin were appointed to represent the committee at Conference. The Irish members of the deputation for 1943 were also nominated.

The committee approved of an alteration in its constitution whereby all District Missionary Secretaries should be members of the committee.

The last Sunday in November will be again observed as a day of Missionary Intercession.

Reports of the Women's Department and the Girls' League were given, and showed that the interest in work abroad is deepening.

PHANTASY IN PAINTING
A MODERNIST EXHIBITION

It is generally agreed that the break-up of the academic mould in painting has made for liveliness in the matter of colour, and the exhibition called Phantasy in Painting, which was opened by Mr. Michael Scott at 7 St. Stephen's Green yesterday, serves further to confirm the fact. All the artists represented—Doreen Vanston, Stephen Gilbert, Kenneth Hall, and Nick Nicholls—have been influenced by the modern Paris school, but in such pictures as "The Wanderers" and "Tropical Night," by Doreen Vanston, it is clear that this gifted young Irish painter has now evolved to an attitude and technique of her own. The former picture particularly has impressive gravity of mood, and here, as, indeed, in all her exhibits, Miss Vanston shows that rare quality, respect for her medium. She has developed a sure sense of how to handle paint, and her colour is always individual and strong, yet harmonious. Stephen Gilbert varies from the abstract to the naturalistic, but the temper of his work is unchangingly quiet and thoughtful. Nick Nicholls's fantasies, on the other hand, are very animated, and his colour is brilliant. And Kenneth Hall's contributions include a "Drawing with Two Red Spots," which is outstanding in its pleasing, rather Chinese, calligraphic quality. There is also a piece of sculpture in granite called "The Hanged Man," by Jocelyn Chewett, which, in the matter of technique, shows feeling for the quality of the stone, and which also has distinction of line.

ELIZABETHAN IDEAL ON EDUCATION
DONNELLAN LECTURE

The Vice-Chancellor of Queen's University, Belfast, Mr. D. Lindsay Keir, M.A., delivered the first of his three Donnellan Lectures on the Elizabethan educational ideal in Trinity College, Dublin, yesterday.

Mr. Keir, at the outset, spoke of the loss which Dublin University had suffered by the death of its Provost, Dr. Thrift. On behalf of Queen's University, Belfast, he extended his warm and sincere good wishes to his successor, and hoped that his reign would be long and successful.

Dublin University, he said, was founded in an age when a great educational ideal was being founded. Mrs. Donnellan, the foundress of these lectures, was a woman who was a lively and, at times, a severe critic of the qualities and manners which prevailed in her time.

In studying Elizabethan education they would find the origin of their own education. The Elizabethan age was an age of great advance, prosperity and victory.

They had a picture of Elizabethan England as a country in which learned foundations, both schools and colleges, recently had multiplied, and were still multiplying in a remarkable way, and in which mental and material power, in a nation conscious of its greatness, was strong in using them for the public weal.

Englishmen, he said, had to ask themselves how their needs could best be met, and what were the materials of the education with which could best be worked out the great experiment which lay before them. Two great stores of education were available. The past had made its contribution to educational discipline and chivalry. The modern age contributed to discipline of humanistic studies and ideals, but religion, learning and good manners were to be found in both. Mediæval England bequeathed to Elizabethan England the nurture of chivalry provided in education.

The Vice-Provost (the Rev. R. M. Gwynn, B.D.) presided.

"HARLEQUINADE"

At the Gaiety Theatre on Whit Monday Hilton Edwards and Micheal MacLiammoir will produce for the first time at that theatre their famous entertainment, "Harlequinade," with new and old diversions.

Mary Poswolsky has designed several special ballet. One of the high points of the programme should be the production of one of W. B. Yeats's plays for dancers, "The King of the Great Clock Tower," with Micheal MacLiammoir as the King and Mary Poswolsky as the Queen, and special music composed by Tyrrell Pine. Another unusual item will be Micheal MacLiammoir in Edgar Allan Poe's famous story of mystery and imagination, "The Tell-Tale Heart."

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

Tá an t-éan ar eite. Sgiorraim ré go glan glic rnín an aer. Tá ré ag imeacht, tá ré beagnach imighte.

Slánabaite: Neo higin.

Mire: Tuigrid tú lá éigin eile nach fada uainn. Táim ag trácht ar éan an ama. Tá an gainnimh ag éalódh. Tá lán-mara an báir ag líonadh. Carpe diem, carpe a.m. & carpe p.m.

Slánabaite: Eh?

Mire: Uaireannta rílim go gcuirrea rceannradh ar an mbár féin.

SAOCHAR NUA

Tá an oiread rin manaig atá luaichar i bholad agur i bhfarcódh ra bhriachaptlann éactach éagrúil dó a chomruig an t-Atair Ó Duinnín go bhfuil bearcuigthe dul thriorrior annro go laethúil, ón chéad leathanach go dtí an focal deiring. Sa méid rin, tuig gur dorcha diamhar do-eolair an cupar atá romainn; cura agur mire. Ní ríor dúinn cé na h-Ataig fiadhaine teangthair a tharrar orainn nó fór cé'n deo diabalta fililteoiriceach ina gcaillrear rinn. Ach ir mór an níd an mirneach.

Seo linn. Leathanach a h-aon. Níl faic ar leathanach a h-aon ach "a." Deirtear gur ón gcrann ailme a geibtear ainm na litre reo atá mar ceann na h-aibgitre agur mar chéad dun-fubrtaint gacha gaoire agur léiginn. Ir inmearta gur ón "a" agur an "ailm" céadna a geibtear an laidean-bhriathar "alumnur" mar teideal ar comhaltaí de bhraithreachar an áird-léiginn. Ach abradh uainn an t-ábhar rin.

Sor beag annro i n-ainm Dé.

Taréir dom an obair reo atá á tornú agam do meadhrú agur do beo-mhachtnamh le linn an trora, táim rárta go bhfuil rí tabhachtach agur ionmholta agur ... pacaid rí cun trocáir don mingamnilic atá againn anrom go máchtadh. Do réir a chéile iread tógtar na cairlteáin agur ní féidir minid ná gaoir-gliondar do bainc ar an duinnín-cirte ar aon bealach eile. Tá an oiread rin ra leabar nach bhruigid tú tairbhe ar mur' ndéanann aingeal-rinn éigin mar mé féin an rcuir do cur or do comhair go bhrite bhrochtarnach, go díreach mar déanann máthair biadh a leinbh do réamh-meilt. Sin mar tá. Creid mé.

LEATHANACH A DÓ

Tá mianach maith ar an leathanach ro, cé go bhfuil ceithre "a" eile ar a bárr, maraon le dá "ab."

"Aba" an chéad focal rlán atá againn agur dóigh liom go dtuigeann cách an bhrig atá leir. Cad é reo adubhairt Tomár (nó an Seoirre abí ann?) Ó Mórdha i dtaobh Abóca? Aba atque Valley? Ar chaoi ar bit, rin go díreach a bhfuil ann.

Annrin tá "aba" againn, a chiallaigheann an chúir nó an fáth atá le rud. e.g., "ar aba a h-uile": de bhárr a h-uile.

Annrin an focal "abac," entrails; abac, a dwarf, a pigmy, a ferret, a sort of cur for baiting ferrets in their dens. Agur abadh, a habit, uniform; abaidh, ripe, mature.

Cuir na focla rin go léir i n-abairt amháin, a Sheáin.

Tá abaig an abadh abaidh á tarraingt ar thrío a abaro ag abac an abaic.

Agur cuir racr-Béarla ar rin, a Sheáin.

The entrails of the mature abbot are being pulled out of him through his habit by the dwarf's little cur that is used for baiting ferrets in their dens.

Sead, docht an diol é rin. Ir beag focal ar an leathanach ro atá réim cneartha neamh-coitchianta. Ach amháin, b'féidir, an dá focal "abaille" agur "aball." Ach do réir an Diobla, tá "aball" (bíodh apple an chiall atá leir nó orchard) ceangailte go deo le gach dólar agur daorrmacht daonna agur mo mhallacht air dá bhrig rin.

Maidir le "abaro" agur "abaigim," ní feadar bhfuil baint ar bith eadar príomh an focail reo agur "apis," an Laidean ar "beach." Tá blath-abaidh nuair tá ré indeachta.

Níl fágtha againn ach an dá focal "abairc" agur "abair." Abair gur leor é reo mar faoclar lae amháin. Guairc an abairc "roirceann annro," — Liomra go h-aipiche.

AG FÉACHAINT SIAR.

"Mí-ceart an uile ainm aite,
mí-ceart ainm gach ean-páirce,
atá anoir ar Éirinn uill,
toirc géibinn lá an leaccruim."

—Luaidhte i "bPort-feancur" Laoire, 1905.

WHEAT PRODUCTION
GOVERNMENT CRITICISED

"It seems incredible that the machinery of a modern Government has not been able to prevent an agricultural country, hitherto untouched by the war and whose competitors in the world market had been practically eliminated, from being short of the essentials of life, instead of riding comfortably on the pig's back and making money."

This opinion was expressed in the Senate yesterday by The MacGillicuddy of the Reeks, when he moved that further steps be taken to encourage increased production of wheat, and that the minimum price of 50s. per barrel for millable wheat should be assured to growers over a period of years.

The Senator held that the Executive Council collectively, and An Taoiseach particularly, were responsible for "the present unfortunate position."

The motion, which stood also in the names of Senators J. Crosbie and J. T. McGee, was adjourned until the next meeting.

The MacGillicuddy said that they were short of bread, and they had no wheat offals. The poultry industry was dwindling to vanishing point, and their pig production would soon be a thing of the past. "Our brewery trade has been saved, for the time being only, by a deal with a country which urgently require our products while they are fighting for their existence."

Sir John Keane felt that increased tillage should be brought about by natural economic means and not by an artificial policy of price subsidy. Their agricultural policy would never be healthy while it imposed burdens on the backs of the ratepayers.

EDUCATION VOTE

Expenditure on education in Eire this year is estimated at £5,015,268—some £27,000 more than last year.

Speaking on the vote in the Dail last night, the Minister for Education, Mr. T. Derrig, said that a scheme was being formulated whereby the school certificate examination would be compulsory for all pupils from Standard 6 up who had not yet sat for it. The three main subjects would be Irish, English and arithmetic, and the examination would be conducted throughout the country on the same day.

Touching on the teaching of subjects through the medium of Irish, he said that the teachers now were well qualified for the task, and the factors which operated against the revival of the language as a spoken tongue were the number of teachers who regarded it as a school subject merely, the non-use of Irish as a medium of conversation, and failure to extend adequately the scope of teaching between Standards 4 and 8.

MAY FETE

The annual May Fête in aid of the University Missions (Chota Nagpur, Fukien and Belfast) took place yesterday at Trinity Hall, Dartry road, where a large gathering wandered at leisure, admiring the beautiful grounds, while others watched an American tennis tournament. The stalls, which did a busy trade, were:—Country Produce—Mrs. H. V. White. Tea Stall—Mrs. Miller. Chinese Stall—Mrs. Bowen. Indian Stall—Mrs. G. O. Symes and Miss Jellett.

Games and competitions were in charge of the students. Pony rides also were a feature (the pony being lent by Mr. Sterling Berry). The great success of the fête was due to the efforts of the Hon. Secretaries, Miss M. White and Miss C. Gwynn.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.18	5.17
Sets	9.27	9.28
Lighting-up Time	10.27	10.28

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

BRITAIN'S "abnormal excess in the proportion of middle-aged people" is emphasised in a White Paper issued to-day giving the vital statistics returned by the Registrars-General to the 1939 Commission on the Geographical Distribution of the Industrial Population. The possible effects of the war have been excluded from consideration. The chief reason for the abnormal sizes of the older age groups is the rise in births to more than a million a year between 1876 and 1914, and the subsequent fall to 700,000, and the fact that mortality has been more than halved over the past years. Whatever happens to the birth-rate now every large increases are inevitable for some years to come in the proportion of older people in the community. The White Paper mentions that if the birth-rate continues to fall as at present a peak population of 48 millions, two millions more than now, will be reached in 1962, after that the population will fall slowly and steadily.

New Independent

Mr. William Hickey, the *Daily Express* columnist, will stand for the Maldon division of Essex, where he lives, as an Independent candidate. He will have to reverse a Conservative majority of 7,808 if he is to be elected. A graduate of Oxford, where his brother is a Professor, William Hickey's real name is Thomas Driberg. The *nom-de-plume*, which has been responsible for the idea that he is Irish, was chosen by Lord Beaverbrook when the column started some twelve or thirteen years ago, when the writer was 24. Mr. Driberg is a staunch High Church Anglican and is churchwarden at the village Church at Bradwell-Juxta Mare.

Congestion

Councillor Paul Cadbury, of Bournville fame, told Birmingham Rotary Club to-day that, in spite of all the municipal building undertaken since 1918, the slums of central Birmingham remain. Birmingham's provision of one hundred thousand new houses was no mean achievement, but this suburban development has failed to solve the problem of the slums—a worse disgrace to-day than twenty-five years' ago. As it was unlikely that there would be any more growth laterally in re-planning Birmingham, some vertical development would be essential. Only in flats and maisonettes could reasonable living conditions be provided, if people had to be crowded into a limited area.

Coal Production

The exaggerated rumours about production and absenteeism in the coal mining industry have been killed by Mr. David Grenfell, Secretary of Mines, and one of the prime movers in the coal-cattle agreement during the economic war. The average output of all classes of workmen employed in the mining industry, he told the House of Commons, was 301 tons during last year, compared with 297 in 1938. The estimated average percentage of absenteeism in the year ended March 31st was nine per cent., compared with six and a-half per cent. in 1939.

Microphones

"Now turn to His Lordship and speak into the microphone," has become a normal phrase at Carlisle Courthouse. Microphones are being used at the Assizes there for the first time this week. Claims that the idea was new were repudiated to-day, when it was pointed out that Halifax, for one town, has had microphones in its police court for years. The courtroom was a notoriously bad one for hearing, and the electrical amplifiers have proved a great boon.

Whit Monday

The Government's decision to make Whit Monday a general holiday has been widely welcomed. The break is desirable for overtaxed war workers. Many London shops will not reopen until Wednesday morning, although the general Governmental direction is only one day's break. In Leeds, centre of the clothing industry, many firms will be closed from Friday evening until Wednesday. The women operatives are determined to have their customary Whit break, war or no war. No additional road or rail transport will be available anywhere in the country. In the London area some thousands will have to get to the Windsor race meetings on Saturday and Monday by various means, as no extra conveyances will be available.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Mountaineering Provost

A correspondent writes:—

In your recent account of the many activities of Senator Alton, the new Provost, no mention was made of the fact that in his early days he was a redoubtable mountaineer. On one occasion he travelled direct from Dublin to Zermatt. On arrival he immediately made arrangements to climb the Matterhorn, and was on the summit of that peak within a week of leaving his rooms in T.C.D.

Another year, when climbing Les Ecrins, a mountain of over 13,000 feet in height in the Dauphiné Alps, his party became enveloped in thick fog and blinding sleet. The guides, after consultation, decided that retreat was impossible, and that the party must fight their way to the summit and return by a new route. It was about eighteen hours later that the climbers at last reached the moraine which leads down to the small hotel at La Bérarde.

In the same year an attempt was made to climb the Meije from La Grave. At that time there was no hut on that side of the mountain, but one was under construction. It was, therefore, necessary to spend the night in a small tent in company with Italian workmen. So cramped was the space that everyone was compelled to sit bolt upright with bent knees.

During the night one of the Italians, who had been imbibing freely, woke suddenly, and, mistaking a puttee of one of the climbers for a snake, became extremely violent and had to be ejected. When morning came heavy snow was falling, and so the climb had to be abandoned, but most of the party traversed the Meije from La Bérarde to La Grave a week later.

Concerning Ciphers

If you value your peace of mind, do *not* buy this month's issue of *An Cosantoir*, that truly admirable "monthly review for all branches of the Defence Forces," because it contains the second of a pair of articles on the subject of ciphers and cipher-breaking, and offers three specimens on which to try your hand.

Try it by all means. But, I warn you, make no appointment for that evening, because the odds are that you will become too deeply absorbed in this most fascinating business of cipher-breaking for anything short of a free bottle of Napoleon brandy or a private interview with Miss Hedy Lemarr.

For myself, I have been working upon what the author calls a nice "straightforward" cipher for the past hour, without success. It has taken a lot of conceit out of me.

This particular issue of *An Cosantoir*, by the way, is a particularly enjoyable one, and I like it the more because most of the contributions are by members of our own Army or the L.D.F. The magazine has taken on new life in its new monthly form, but there must be thousands of men in one branch or another of the Defence Forces who have not made its acquaintance. They would be wise to rectify the omission without delay.

Miss Joan Reddin

Although Miss Joan Reddin is well known to audiences in Dublin and in the provinces, her own father has never seen her on the stage. Her stage successes all were achieved after she left London, shortly after the beginning of the war, and "Tony" Reddin has not been in Ireland for one of her shows since then.

Next week, however, he will have an opportunity to repair this omission; for he is coming to Dublin for a week's holiday, and it just happens that his period of vacation coincides with his daughter's re-appearance on the stage after a slight indisposition. She is playing with Hilton Edwards and Micheal MacLiammoir in a new Whitsuntide edition of "Harlequinade."

I wonder what "Tony" Reddin will think when he sees his daughter for the first time on the stage as a "Buttery Blonde."

Are We So Bad?

We poor Irish have always been given a bad name for carelessness and wastefulness, along with some other nasty things, but, from a little item that I read recently, I begin to wonder if we are any worse than our neighbours.

The Scots have, either by accident or design, consistently been looked upon as a thrifty race, and yet, in these days of belt tightening, the Ministry of Food in their country has had to issue a special appeal to the housewives not to waste bread.

It seems that the Scots have a strong objection to taking "outside" loaves, and every day thousands of these loaves have been left to go stale in the cities, and have had to be sent to the piggeries, causing a wastage of about five *per cent.* of the bread production.

Over here we are so glad to get any bread at all that we have long ago dropped all that sort of faddiness.

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IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

A Visit to Lourdes.—The French film, "A Visit to Lourdes," which was shown to the Press at the Astor Cinema, Dublin, yesterday, is a documentary of a Lourdes pilgrimage, presented with the simplest possible photography and sound effects. It is effectively done.

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Austrian Culture — Dr. Robert Donath, well-known authority on Central Europe, will deliver a lecture entitled: "Austrian Culture in the Post-war World," to the members of the Catholic Association for International Relations, at Jury's Hotel, College Green, Dublin, on Wednesday, 27th May, at 7.30 p.m.

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Bog Fires in Longford.—For setting fire to a bog at Lehery, Lanesborough, where quantities of turf were burned, John Farrell (55), Lehery, was fined £1. It was stated that, evidently through carelessness, a number of bog fires had recently occurred in County Longford, and malicious injury claims for turf destroyed had been lodged.

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St. Patrick's Day Rail Tragedy.—While putting his head to the rails to hear the approach of a train, Thomas McMahon (74), Lower Buckingham street, was run over by a Howth-Dublin train on the railway line near Clontarf on St. Patrick's Day. At the inquest yesterday a verdict of death from shock and heart failure was returned. The train driver was exonerated from blame.

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Man Hunt Follows Arrest.—When Andrew Coughlan, 26 Cattle Market avenue, was charged at Cork yesterday with breaking into a factory at Ballymacthomas, Cork, and stealing articles, value £6, the property of James Dillon, Inspector Lambert, opposing bail, said that the accused man had attempted to escape from custody, and the Guards believed he meant to leave the country. He was remanded in custody. The case recalls an incident in Cork on Tuesday evening, when a man who escaped from custody was chased by Guards and detectives for nearly an hour before being recaptured. A hostile crowd then made matters difficult for the Guards, when the recaptured man was being removed.

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Foynes Flour Supplies — A letter has been received by the Foynes Parish Council from Mr. J. Williams, Controller of Flour and Bread Supplies, in reply to a communication from the Council to the Ministry, seeking an increased quota of flour for Foynes in view of the increased population, due to the influx of workers of various kinds. The letter states that available supplies are being distributed as equitably as possible, but no person should expect to obtain normal supplies of flour. No complaint, it is added, had been received as to shortage of supplies in Foynes, but if tables of the number employed now and in 1940 can be supplied the matter will be investigated.

OBITUARY
ARCHDEACON CRICHTON

His many friends in the North and South will learn with regret of the death of Archdeacon Crichton, which took place in a London nursing home on April 29. Educated at Cavan and at Trinity College, Dublin, he was ordained in 1910, his first curacy being at Seagoe, Portadown, from which he was appointed Secretary of the Jews' Society. He went to India in 1915 as Chaplain to the Forces, and after the Great War became Archdeacon of Madras, and for a time acted as Bishop of the diocese. Returning to England some years ago, he was appointed Vicar of St. Mary's, Bromley, Kent, where he remained until his death. He is survived by his widow and a son and a daughter.

CONTROL OF CREDIT

The members of the National Agricultural and Industrial Development Association believe that there is no indication that the operation of the Central Bank Bill will result in any improvement of conditions for the people as a whole. At a meeting yesterday they passed a resolution to that effect, deploring also that in the bill there is no definite statement as to the control of credit. They called on the Government to reconsider the bill, particularly in the light of the minority reports of the Banking Commission.

It was stated that while the country lacked the control of its own credit it could not hope to develop its resources to the fullest extent.

SAVED THEIR BACON

Office-bound Dubliners passing the Nassau street-Grafton street intersection yesterday morning crowded to see what looked like an accident. A 'bus was stopped in the middle of the roadway, and from under it were coming frightened squeals. Closer inspection showed that the squeals were coming from a bonham that had apparently escaped from a passing truck and gone to ground under the double-decker.

Chased several times up and down under the 'bus, the little pig eventually bolted out under the front wheels, eluded several flying tackles, and was clear away almost to College Green before he was rounded up and caught.

PASSED IN SENATE

The Seeds and Fertilisers Supply Bill, 1942, which enables county councils to provide credits to needy credit-worthy farmers to procure seeds, passed all its stages in the Senate yesterday.

Mr. MacENTEE, Minister for Local Government and Public Health, who introduced it, said that it was not for the purpose of promoting agriculture, but was purely a social measure.

The second and remaining stages of the Building Societies Bill, 1942, the objects of which are to extend the borrowing powers of certain building societies and to enable them to play a bigger part in housing activities, were also passed.

NO WHIT MONDAY POST

On Whit Monday there will be no general delivery of letters or parcels in Dublin, but renters of private boxes in Dublin City and district areas may obtain their correspondence at the Letter Office, Pearse street, between 9 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. Others who wish to obtain their correspondence must notify the Superintendent of the Letter Office, Pearse street, by 4.0 p.m. on Saturday. Mails will be despatched to Great Britain and to the provinces. The General Post Office, O'Connell street, will be open continuously.

Five Vacancies: 178 Candidates—For the five temporary positions in the Relieving Office, at Eustace street, Dublin, there were 178 applications, it was stated at yesterday's meeting of the Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance. These will be classified and re-submitted to the next meeting. Mr. S. Murphy, chairman, presided.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTH.

WILLIS—May 12, 1942, at "Sudbury," Glasheen road, Cork, to Fien, wife of J. R. S. Willis, a daughter (Eleanor Farrell).

MARRIAGE.

BRADSHAW and MEREDITH—April 8, 1942, at St. Bridget's Church, Ballintubbert, by the Rev. J. B. E. Gregory, assisted by the Rev. H. Evanson, Richard George, only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bradshaw, Shillelagh, Co. Wicklow, to Florence, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Meredith, Southfield House, Ballintubbert, Athy, Co. Kildare.

DEATHS.

BUTLER—May 15, 1942, at Heathfield, Castlerea, Co. Roscommon, James Butler. R.I.P.

CLARKE—May 19, 1942, at Bath, Emilie, widow of the late Richard Elliott Clarke, M.I.C.E., of Clonmel.

CRICHTON—April 29, 1942, at a London Nursing Home, Archdeacon W. R. Crichton, of St. Mary's Vicarage, Bromley, Kent, only son of the late Rev. James Crichton, of Kildrumfertan, Co. Cavan. Sadly missed by his sorrowing widow and children.

MAGEE—May 19, 1942, at her residence, Annie Magee, beloved wife of John T. Magee, Market street, Trim. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband, sisters, nieces and nephews. R.I.P. Requiem Office and High Mass to-day (Thursday), at 11 o'clock (S.T.), in St. Patrick's Church, Trim. Funeral same day at 2 o'clock to the New Cemetery, Trim.

McKEON—Suddenly, Lionel Victor Earl, beloved second son of Robert and Sinah McKeon, of 41 Mountpleasant square, Ranelagh. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing parents, brothers and relatives. Funeral arrangements later. "Thy will be done."

McMULLEN—May 19, 1942, at 30 Upper Brighton road, Worthing, William Arthur, son of the late Dr. Wallace McMullen, and dearly loved husband of Marion McMullen, passed away peacefully, in his 88th year. Funeral private. No flowers, by special request.

SAYERS—May 19, 1942, at Leeson Private Nursing Home, Mollie, wife of Philip Sayers, after a prolonged illness. Funeral to-day (Thursday), 4 p.m., at Jewish Burial Ground, Dolphin's Barn.

SEALE—April 28, 1942, killed in air accident, Flying-Officer George E. C. Seale, R.A.F.V.R., elder son of Dr. Edward A. Seale and Mrs. Seale, Grahamstown, South Africa.

SHEPHERD—May 20, 1942, Gladys (Sunshine), younger daughter of Alexander and Ida Shepherd, 118 Quarry road, Cabra. Funeral (strictly private), Mount Jerome. No flowers.

Jesus loved her, He did stay
Close beside her all the way,
Then our darling child He carried,
Up to heaven, safely gathered.

WALSH (Co. Waterford)—Mary Walsh, Ballyristeen, Kill (sister of Rev. Father Walsh, P.P., Modeligo). R.I.P. Remains will be removed to Kill Church at 3 o'c. (O.T.) to-day (Thursday). Office and High Mass 10.30 a.m. (O.T.) to-morrow (Friday). Interment immediately afterwards.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 2.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

O'BRIEN—The husband and relatives of the late Mrs. Kathleen Fisher O'Brien, West street, Callan, Kilkenny, return sincere thanks to all those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and other expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement, and trust this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

The family of the late **Mrs. Rollins**, of Wallasey, Cheshire, desire to thank all kind friends who sent expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement, and trust they will accept this as a grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

COBBE—In loving memory of my dear wife, Bella, who was called Home 21st May, 1931. "For ever with the Lord."—Tom.

COBBE—In affectionate remembrance of dear mother, called to rest 21st May, 1931. "Until the day breaks."—Eileen, Bob, grandchildren.

COBBE—In ever-loving memory of dear mother, called Home 21st May, 1931. "Nearer, my God, to Thee."—Cecil and Maud.

COBBE—In loving memory of darling mother, called Home May 21st, 1931. "Peace, perfect peace."—Her loving son, David, Patty and Baby Stuart.

COBBE—In loving memory of dear mother, called Home 21st May, 1931. "For ever with the Lord."—Jack and Eileen.

COBBE—In loving remembrance of my dear sister, Bella, called Home May 21st, 1931.

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—Martha.

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INCIDENT IN 'BUS

CONDUCTOR'S POWERS

That he would have to consider what authority a 'bus conductor had to ask a passenger for his name and address; and, what were the conductor's powers of arrest, was stated by District Justice Lennon, in the Dublin District Court, yesterday. He added that the police had powers of arrest, but they were most careful in enforcing them. He adjourned the case for a week.

Miss Florence Byrne, Shandon road, Dublin, was charged with assaulting a 'bus conductor on May 12th at Berkeley road. Patrick Walsh, the conductor, gave evidence of one of the windows in the lower saloon having been broken. The defendant was sitting near the broken window. She got up to leave the 'bus and the witness stopped her. She refused to give her name and address. She slapped the witness on the face and kicked him on the shin. He called a Guard.

To Mr. Trant McCarthy, who defended, the witness said that if Miss Byrne's ribs were hurt it was by her pushing against his arm.

Witnesses stated that they did not see the defendant kick the conductor.

FAILURE TO TILL

At the Kilmainham District Court yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, Robert Martin, Banshee, Castlewarden, Straffan, was fined £5, with £1 1/- costs, for failing to till sufficient land last year.

An inspector of the Department said that the defendant had tilled four acres of land, whereas he should have cultivated 6¼ acres in 1941. He did not inspect the farm until January last. As he was responsible for a quarter of a million acres of land, he could not possibly visit every farm.

The defendant, in evidence, stated that he thought he had tilled a sufficient number of acres.

District Justice Reddin said that the case was different from others, as the lands were not inspected during the tillage year by the inspector. That did not reflect on the inspector, as he had over 200,000 acres under his care.

E.S.B. SUED

The Master of the High Court yesterday directed discovery of documents by both sides in an action of Francis A. Cox, Ovoca road, South Circular road, Dublin, against the Electricity Supply Board.

Mr. Cox seeks a declaration that he is, and has been since August 29, 1933, in the employment of the Board as a whole-time permanent and pensionable officer, and that he is entitled to £3,390 in respect of arrears of salary and cost of living bonus.

The Board say that Mr. Cox was validly suspended in August, 1933, and that his suspension remained operative until his dismissal by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health last February; they deny that any money is due to him, and they plead the Statute of Limitations.

Mr. Ernest M. Wood (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for Mr. Cox; and Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. A. Cox and Co.) for the Board.

OFFICER'S TRIAL

In the Circuit Criminal Court, Green street, Dublin, yesterday, before Judge Shannon, after a trial lasting three days, on charges of gross indecency and kidnapping a boy from one of the Dublin colleges, the jury found Lieutenant Michael Edge (33) not guilty on all charges, save one of taking the boy from the custody of his lawful guardian. He was put back for sentence.



Visitors at a painting exhibition in Dublin.

LORRY EXPORTED

SELLER SENT TO JAIL

IN the Dublin District Court yesterday Martin Feeney (27), Whiterock road, Belfast, was charged, on remand, with unlawfully exporting a motor lorry to Northern Ireland, and with having sold the lorry without a permit, required by the Emergency Powers Order.

He was also charged with attempting to purchase a lorry for export, and with the illegal possession of £785 10s.

Eugene Quinn, Lorne Hotel, Dundalk, was charged with assisting Feeney in the exportation of a lorry.

Detective-Officer Stephen McWilliams said that when arrested at College Street Station, where he came by arrangement, Feeney had £415 in his possession.

Evidence also was given that at Mountjoy Prison Feeney had a further £350 in his possession.

Mr. D. Ua Donnchadha (Chief State Solicitor's Office) said that the prosecution alleged that the money in Feeney's possession was the proceeds from the sale of an unlawfully exported lorry, and was therefore illegally received.

FEENEY'S DEFENCE

Feeney, in evidence, said that he had been a Dublin carrier, and went to Northern Ireland and sold his lorry at Cookstown for £700. Later he returned to Dundalk, where he was given £350 by Quinn to pay for mustard, which was being sent from the North to Quinn. While in Dundalk Feeney said he read a newspaper advertisement of a lorry being for sale in Dublin, and immediately went to Dublin and bought the lorry for £500, leaving a deposit on it. He went to the Bridewell, and later to College Street Station, to get a permit for the lorry, and while at College street he was "lifted."

Feeney was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for illegally exporting a lorry, and a further three months for attempting to purchase a lorry for the purpose of export, and two months for being in illegal position of £415—the sentences to run concurrently.

An order was made for the forfeiture of the money.

The charges against Quinn were dismissed, District Justice Lennon stating that there was a doubt in the case.

ANOTHER CASE

Thomas Sweeney, motor mechanic, Howth road, and Frederick Durham, radio and cycle dealer, Stillorgan, were remanded until to-day, charged with aiding and abetting in the exportation of a motor lorry to Northern Ireland on February 10th last.

Durham also was charged with aiding and abetting the exportation of another motor lorry on March 27th.

STEALING CHARGES

Private Thomas Murphy was, at Kilmainham District Court yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, sentenced to six calendar months' imprisonment for breaking into the residence of Mr. P. J. Hernon, City Manager, Dublin, at Jubilee Hall, Old Connaught, Co. Dublin, on May 11th last and stealing a boy's bicycle and 5lb. of tea, and also for stealing a bicycle in 1941. Murphy pleaded guilty.

Trooper Christopher Gibney was sentenced to three months' imprisonment by District Justice Reddin, for stealing a military great coat and a quantity of wearing apparel, the property of other members of the Defence Forces.

Private Patrick Power and Private Laurence Farrell were sentenced to two calendar months' imprisonment for stealing a bicycle. On a further charge of stealing a pair of rubber boots, Private Power was sentenced to an additional two months' imprisonment.

MISSING BICYCLES

At the Kilmainham District Court yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, Peter Merrigan, Eden Villas, Glasthule, County Dublin, was fined £2, with £2 5/- compensation, for stealing a bicycle the property of his cousin, John Devitt. Merrigan and Devitt were both working on a bog at Glencullen, when Merrigan, who refused to continue at work, left. It was stated in evidence that when Devitt finished work he discovered that his bicycle was gone, and found it the same evening in Merrigan's house.

Bernard Byrne, 13th Lock, Straffan, was fined £2 for the illegal possession of a bicycle, and directed to pay £2 compensation.

District Justice Lennon, in the Dublin District Court yesterday, sentenced Michael Farrell (36), labourer, of Church lane, to six months' imprisonment for stealing a bicycle at Harold's Cross, the property of Miss B. Smith, Terenure.

COUNTY MANAGEMENT

NEW BILL CRITICISED

"The Government are going to destroy at the roots the whole basis of citizenship," said Mr. P. F. BAXTER when the second stage of the County Management (Amendment) Bill, 1942, was introduced and passed in the Senate yesterday.

Replying to the debate, the Minister for Local Government and Public Health (Mr. MacENTEE) said that the fact that a local authority was abolished did not necessarily mean that it was because of wrong practices; it might, however, be due to the fact that the members were not carrying out their tasks with business-like efficiency. He countered criticism of the County Commissioners by pointing out that he had heard no criticism from the ratepayers whose rates had been reduced by 4s. 6d. in the pound.

The officers of the Dublin Board of Assistance had admitted on oath that there was no proper supervision of the distribution of relief, he said. He did not hold them fully responsible. The trouble was that they were trying to operate a system designed for parish relief in a community of half a million.

Earlier, when Mr. Baxter had inferred that the appointments were subject to political influence, and had suggested that if an impartial tribunal were set up to inquire into them the revelations would not be liked, Mr. W. Quirke had demanded that he be asked to withdraw the suggestion. When asked to do so by the Chairman Mr. Baxter withdrew the inference.

The Committee stage was fixed for the next sitting of the Senate.

OIL IN CELLAR

£300 DAMAGES

Mr. Justice Black, in the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, intimated that he would award £300 to Mr. Patrick Tobin, publican, Sir John Rogerson's quay, Dublin, in respect of consequential damage in his action against the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company for damages for injury to his business by oil which, he said, had escaped from an underground pipeline from the quayside, used by the company, and had percolated into his premises.

On the question of the abatement of the nuisance, Mr. Justice Black allowed the case to stand until next term to enable the parties to consider whether restoration work would be undertaken by the company at their risk, and stated that in the absence of agreement he would assess damages in respect of that matter.

Mr. Joseph A. McCarthy, K.C., for the company, said that there was no evidence that any oil was escaping into the premises now; and in regard to the smell, he said that one could not apply the test of a Mayfair boudoir to Sir John Rogerson's quay.

Mr. Justice Black—There is not the slightest chance of my doing that.

Mr. McGonigal, K.C., for Mr. Tobin, stated that only the previous day two bottles of oil had been extracted from a hole in the premises. The total amount of oil lost was relevant to the amount of the nuisance caused on the premises.

CAR WHEEL STOLEN

Before District Justice Reddin, at the Kilmainham District Court, Patrick Maher and Michael Madden, both of Santry, were each sentenced to two months' imprisonment for stealing a spare wheel off a motor car at Santry, where the car was parked.

District Justice Reddin said the only way to stop the stealing of spare wheels of motor cars and bicycles was by imposing sentences of imprisonment.

CLOTH STOLEN

In the Dublin District Court yesterday, Henry Walsh (32), no business, Corporation Buildings, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for stealing cloth valued at £17 from a stand outside the Woollen Mills, Talbot street, and his brother, Peter (21), labourer, to three months.

Matron of Lifford Hospital — Nurse McCrudden, of Lifford, has been appointed temporary matron at Lifford Hospital, in succession to Miss Heslin, matron for the past 30 years.

STOCK MARKET REPORTS

DUBLIN EXCHANGE

Although trading was not quite so brisk on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, markets presented a steady to firm appearance. Home Rails continued to the fore and showed some recovery in places.

Among Home Funds, 4 p.c. Conversion Loan and 3½ p.c. National Security marked fractional losses. 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds tended higher, and 4½ p.c. Land Bonds changed hands at 115½ x.d. British Funds held up well.

Banks were in request, and Nationals on strong buying advanced 1/3 to 40/- and Provincial improved to 38/6. Guinness units firmed up to 90/-.

Great Northern Ord. recovered a point to 21½ and the Pref. rose to 40, but the Gtd. relapsed two points to 59. Great Southern issues were well maintained, apart from the Deb., which dropped to 61½.

Pim Bros. Ord. added pence at 2/-, and Browne and Nolan Pref. hardened to 18/9. Other Irish Industrials remained quietly steady.

Textiles inclined higher, with Coats Ord. 34/- and Courtaulds 33/4½. B.A.T. Ord. firmed up to 78/- and Dunlop Rubbers repeated 26/3, but Imperial Chemical Ord. shaded off to 33/6. Shell Transport Ord. advanced to 46/6 and Victoria Falls Ord. quoted 72/10½.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—5 p.c. Second National Loan (under £200), (116), 116¼; 4½ p.c. Third Loan (114), *114; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (107), *107, 7; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (108½), *108¼; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (under £200), (109), 109; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (110¾), *110⅞; do. (under £200) (110½), 110¼; 3¼ p.c. National Security (104), 103⅞, ⅞; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (116¾), 115¼ x.d.; do. (under £200) (116), 115 x.d.; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (108½), *107 x.d.; 3½ p.c. War Loan (104¾), 104¾; do. (under £200) (104¾), 104⅝; India 3½ p.c. Stock (101 3/16), 101 3/16.

BANKS—National (38/9), 39/-, 40/-; Provincial Old (38/-), 38/6.

BREWERIES—Guinness Ord. (89/6), 90/-, 90/-.

RAILWAYS—Great Northern Ord. (20½), 21, *1½; do. Pref. (39½), *39¾, 40; do. Guaranteed (61), 59; Great Southern Pref. (17⅛), 17½; do. Guaranteed (37), 37; do. Deb. (62), *61½.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (18/-), 18/-; Browne and Nolan Pref. (18/6), *18/9; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (6/3), 6/3; Irish Sugar Pref. (24/9), 24/7½; Irish Worsted "A" Ord. (4/9), *4/9; do. Pref. (16/-), *16/-; Pim Bros. Ord. (1/6), *2/-.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS—B.A.T. Ord. (77/6), 78/-; do. 2nd Pref., 29/10½; Brit. South Africa Ord., 20/6; Coats (J. and P.) Ord. (33/10½), 34/-; Courtaulds Ord. (33/3), 33/4½; Dunlop Rubber (26/3), *26/3; Fine Spinners Ord., 8/-; Imperial Chemical Ord. (33/9), *33/6; Shell Transport Ord. (45/9), 46/6; Tobacco Trust Ord., *55/7½; do. Def., *20/-; Victoria Falls Ord., *72/10½.

IRISH BANKS' RATE (changed October 26, 1939), 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stocks transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

OTHER EXCHANGES

MANCHESTER—Bleachers 4/6-4/9, Dyers 7/3-7/6, "Slubbers" 4/0-4/6, Calicoes 6/3-6/9, Coats 34/0-34/6, Courtaulds 33/3-33/9, Dunlops 26/3-26/6, Cottons 25/6-26/6, Velvet 4/0-4/6, Spinners 8/0-8/6, Henrys 9/3-9/9, Turner and Newall 68/0-69/0, Wall Paper Defd. 24/6-25/0.

BIRMINGHAM—Rovers hardened to 18/-, Birmids to 67/3, Fisher Ludlow to 27/3, and Tube Investment to 82/6, Alvis 3/1½, Austin "A" 16/-, Dennis 31/9, Dunlop 26/4½, Enfield 17/9, Ford 24/9, Guy 1/9, Humber 19/6, Leyland 64/6, Lucas 64/9, Morris 30/9, Napier 6/6, Raleigh 63/6, Singer 3/4½, Standard 17/1½, Triplex 29/6, Villiers Engineering 27/3, Halford 56/3.

LONDON MONEY MARKET

There was an increased demand for bills yesterday, and most of the clearing banks were making purchases on a larger scale. There was a slightly readier market for August maturities.

Credit was in ample supply, and a certain amount of money at 4 per cent. was available from outside institutions.

LONDON FIRM

Firmness was displayed by the London Stock markets yesterday, though, with business still very limited and a disposition to await developments on the Russian front, the speculative departments became reactionary. Gilts remained in the ascendant, chiefly on professional support. Thanks to a little nibbling at the lower levels, Home Rails made a better showing. Southern Deferred moved up to 15¼. Argentine issues became steadier.

The Industrial section had a firmer appearance. London Bricks recovered as a result of the belief that the brick levy will be passed on to purchasers. In the Rayon and Textile group the Celanese issues again changed hands fairly freely. Courtaulds advanced to 33/9. Apart from B.A.T., which lost 7½d., Tobacco shares continued in good demand. Breweries were well maintained.

In the Insurance section Sun Life were dull following the announcement of a half-year's dividend of 1/10, which compares with 2/9 a year ago.

Mining shares were well maintained. In the Kaffir market there was some bidding early on for a few of the dividend-payers, notably for Venterspost, but quotations finished unaltered. Diamond issues were firm.

For the most part, Oil shares were an uninteresting market, dealers reporting an even smaller turnover than in the earlier days of the week.

PRINCIPAL CHANGES

(*) Ex dividend.

BRITISH FUNDS — Consols 4 p.c., 113½+⅛; 3½ p.c. War Loan, 104 13/16+1/16; do. 3 p.c., 101⅜+⅛; 3½ p.c. Conversion, 106 15/16+1/16; I.F.S. 4½ p.c. Land Bonds, *115; Local Loans, 96 11/16+3/16.

RAILS—L.M.S. 19¼+⅛; Southern Def. Ord., 15¼+⅛; "Canpac," 9 29/32−1/32.

INDUSTRIALS—Brown (J.), 26/7½−4½d.; B.A. Tobacco, 76/10½−7½d.; Coats, *34/1½+3d.; Courtaulds, 33/9+3d.; Dunlops, *26/3−1½d.; English Electric, 41/10½+7½d.; Ever Ready, 32/-+6d.; Forestal Land, 27/-+9d.; Harrods, 32/6+2/-; London Brick, 47/6+6d.; Tobacco Secs. Trust, 55/-+1/3; Triplex, 29/7½+3d.; Turner and N., 68/9+7½d.; Watney, 59/9−3d.; Woolworth, 52/1½−3d.

MINES—Cons. Gold F., 1 11/16−1/32; E. Geduld, 8⅞+⅛; Govt. Areas, 36/10½+7½d.; Vereeniging, 43/9+1/3; W. Wit., 4¾−1/16; Blyvoor 29/3−3d.; Chartered, 20/10½+1½d.; De Beers Def., 8 5/16+1/16; Bibiani, 16/3+3d.

OILS—Attock, 32/-+1/4½; Can. Eagle, 9/9−1½d.; Mex. Eagle, 10/6−3d.; Trinidad Leases, 68/1½+7½d.

RUBBERS—Kuala Lumpur, 10/-+1/3; Rubber Trust, 13/3+9d.; Malayalam, 23/-+9d.

COMPANY NEWS

British Borneo Petroleum Syndicate.—Net profit £44,111 compares with £61,774, and the total dividend of 10 p.c. compares with a dividend of 10 p.c. and a bonus of 5 p.c.

Bluemel Bros.—Interim 2½ p.c. (same).

Carreras.—Interim of 12½ per cent. on the Ordinary, "A" Ordinary and "B" Ordinary, compared with 11 2-3 per cent. last year.

Fredor Crêpe Paper.—No dividend on Preference.

Home and Colonial.—A statement issued by Home and Colonial Stores, embodying its profits and those of its subsidiaries in which it holds more than 90 p.c. of the ordinary capital, shows that trading profits of the group rose from £850,169 to £1,259,249 in the year ended January 3rd last. At the same time the provision for taxation has risen by some £400,000 to £984,330, thus leaving the net profit of the group £274,919, only £10,342 higher than in 1940-41.

Hield Bros.—Dividend 12½ p.c. (same).

John Summers and Sons.—Profits of the group have risen from £643,109 to £893,245. The dividend on the "A" Ordinary is again 6 per cent., and on the "B" 4 per cent.

Olympia Portland Cement.—Net profit £46,898 (against £35,140). Distribution for the year is unchanged at 10 p.c.

Maureen O'Sullivan at Adelphi.—Maureen O'Sullivan, who has been judged one of the eight outstanding film stars in 1941, comes to the Adelphi, Dublin, to-morrow in "Tarzan's Secret Treasure," with Johnny Weissmuller.

COMPANY MEETING.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

STRINGENT VALUATION OF ASSETS

LARGE INVESTMENTS IN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

THE one hundred and sixteenth annual general meeting of the Standard Life Assurance Company was held in Edinburgh yesterday. Mr. E. M. Beilby was in the chair.

The Manager and Secretary having read the auditor's report, the Chairman said:—

Gentlemen,—I regret that, owing to his illness, Mr. Jamieson, Chairman of the company in the past three difficult years, is not able to be here to-day. We hope for his complete recovery. As Vice-Chairman, I take Mr. Jamieson's place at this meeting.

May I take it to be your wish that the directors' report, which is in your hands, be held as read?

Before reviewing the results of the past year, I must refer to the loss of two members of the Board since our last annual meeting. Mr. George Wm. Blackwood, who served as a director for the long period of twenty-five years, died on 26th April, 1942. Mr. Blackwood as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Director was interested in all that concerned the company—more particularly in the staff and in the careful development of our business. His wise advice based upon wide experience was greatly appreciated by his colleagues on the Board, with each of whom his personal relations were always most happy. His guidance and encouragement will be greatly missed by the officials and staff.

Lieut. J. R. Gifford, R.N.V.R., W.S., who became a director in June, 1939, went on service in the Navy shortly after the outbreak of war; after performing various duties he was posted to H.M.S. Repulse, and lost his life on 10th December, 1941, when that ship was sunk in the Far East. It is a matter of great regret that our association with him should have been ended after such a short time. Already his keen intellect and sympathetic understanding had forecast a service of marked usefulness to the company which it was hoped would endure for many years.

During the year the directors were fortunate in being able to appoint Mr. William Watson, C.A., and Mr. J. B. Crawford to the Board, and later at this meeting you will be asked to confirm the appointments in the usual way by re-electing them. Further, on his return from a distinguished tour of duty as Governor of Burmah, the directors invited Sir Archibald Cochrane to resume the seat upon the board which he had held for some time previous to proceeding to the East. I am glad to say that Sir Archibald accepted this invitation, and his re-election also will be submitted to you to-day.

In spite of the difficult times through which we are passing I am pleased to be able to submit to you what I think you will all agree is a satisfactory report. The new business during the year under review reached a total of £2,004,632, after deducting re-assurances. This represents 50 per cent. of the total completed during the previous year, and is, I think, a reasonable amount for war-time, when it is borne in mind that practically all our outdoor staff is away on service. A substantial total of deferred annuities has been completed in the year, although the total is somewhat less than the amount granted last year. There has also been a reduction in the immediate annuities completed during the year.

NET RATE OF INTEREST.

Turning to the revenue account of the life assurance and annuity fund, we find that the premium income at £2,488,000 shows a decrease of over £80,000; this decrease is largely accounted for by the practical cessation of single premium business. It was decided during the year that it was inadvisable that the company should accept large sums by way of single premium—a decision taken by many other life offices. Naturally this has had a marked effect on the amount of the premium income. The interest revenue after deduction of tax is £1,304,000, being practically the same as the corresponding figure of last year. This represents a net rate of interest on the Life Assurance and Annuity Fund during the year of £4 3s. 6d. per cent., which, although lower than that earned last year, will, in present circumstances, I am sure, give satisfaction to members. Again a sum of over £40,000 was transferred to the revenue of the Life Assurance and Annuity Fund from the Guarantee Fund.

On the other side of the account you will see that the total of the claims by death is £775,000, an increase of over £80,000 upon the figure of last year. The total this year includes a substantial amount due directly to enemy action. The claims by maturity call for no comment, and are some £9,000 less than the corresponding amount last year.

RESERVES INCREASED.

Owing largely to the restriction of our efforts during the war, commission and expenses of management show a decrease on last year of £20,000, and I am pleased to be able to report that the expense ratio (*i.e.*, the ratio of commission and expenses to premium income) shows a further reduction, and now stands at only 10 per cent. It will be seen that the sum of £100,000 has been transferred to inner reserve and that £50,000 has been transferred to the Staff Pension Fund.

The total assets, as shown in the balance sheet, are now £35,255,000, representing an increase of £893,000 over last year's total. The increase on this occasion is not so large as during recent years; but this is mainly accounted for by one maturity claim of exceptionally large amount, which has reduced the capital redemption fund during the year from over £1,000,000 to just over £400,000. As in previous years, members will be glad to know that the directors have been able to state that, in their belief, the value of the assets was in excess of the balance sheet figure. It is a difficult matter in these days to place a proper value upon each of the company's assets; but I can assure members that a very thorough and careful examination of the assets has been carried out, and that, after making such provisions as in the opinion of the directors were advisable, and, in the case of Stock Exchange securities, making use of the lowest quotations in the official list, after deducting accrued interest and dividends, the directors were satisfied that the excess value of the assets over the figure shown in the balance sheet was of considerable amount.

INVESTMENTS IN NEW WAR LOANS.

The policy, referred to last year, of subscribing largely to British Government Loans has been continued, and it will be seen from the balance sheet that the total holding in British Government securities as at 15th November last was £9,570,000, an increase during the year of £1,744,000. From the outbreak of war to the present time the company has increased its investments in British Government securities by £5,308,000, of which total £4,142,000 represents investment in new War Loans. In accordance with the wishes of the Government, all excess income over outgo in this country, in addition to a substantial proportion of other funds available for investment, is being invested in new War Loans, so that members have the satisfaction of knowing that the company is assisting materially in the National Savings movement, which forms such an important part of the country's war effort.

STAFF.

In these days the efforts of the company's officials and staff must be directed almost entirely to endeavouring to give efficient service to those persons who are already members of the company. Our staff has been greatly depleted, as, after the departure of those members who are expecting to leave very shortly, over two-thirds of the pre-war male staff in Great Britain will have left on national service. Many members of our overseas staffs have also joined the forces, and, as a result of the demand by the authorities for female labour, we expect to lose a considerable proportion of our female staff before long. The reduction in our male staff has been heaviest among our outside men, and in the circumstances we are forced to rely upon our members and upon our agents to bring new business to the company, because we have not the staff to give the same full service to the public which we were accustomed to give in pre-war years. It is difficult in these days to over-estimate the value of life assurance and any enquiries which are addressed to the head office or branches by our members or agents will, of course, receive the fullest possible attention. The foresight of those persons who in the past have assured with the Standard is amply demonstrated when one looks at the accounts and sees the large sums which have been paid out by way of claims, many of them arising from the war.

It is with deep regret that I report that two further members of our staff have given their lives in the service of their country. Both of these young men were lost in air operations over enemy territory.

To the many members of our staff who are absent on service I send from this meeting our warmest greetings and best wishes. They are continually in our thoughts, and they can be assured of a hearty welcome back to the service of the company when the time comes. The staff who are left at home to carry the heavy burden of the work have responded with admirable loyalty to the calls made upon them. Members will appreciate the debt they owe to the staff, and I know I shall be carrying out their wishes in recording our sincere gratitude for their efforts.

MANAGER'S RETIREMENT.

I am very sorry to have to report that our Manager and Secretary, Mr. Mascall, has decided to retire on 15th September next. We are greatly indebted to Mr. Mascall; at a time when he might well have sought rest in retirement he willingly undertook the heavy burden of the managership of the company in war-time, and during the whole period of the war he has guided the affairs of the company with wisdom and success. Mr. Mascall, when he retires in September, will have served the Standard for 52 years—a record of which, I think, he and we may be justly proud. During all that time he has done good and loyal work for our company at home and abroad. We give him our warm wishes for health and happiness in well-earned retirement.

The directors have appointed Mr. Davidson manager and actuary as from the date of Mr. Mascall's retirement, and they have every confidence that, under his leadership, the company will fully maintain its high position. Other appointments have been made at head office—in particular Mr. A. R. Reid as secretary, Mr. P. C. Reynolds as deputy secretary, Mr. J. B. Dow as joint actuary, and Mr. W. M. Wishart as assistant secretary. In London, consequent upon the retirement of Mr. A. B. Drayton, after 48 years' loyal and devoted service with the company in various parts of the world, the directors have decided to combine the City and West End branch offices under Mr. E. V. Goodall as manager for London, who will be assisted by Mr. A. E. Bromfield as secretary for London. I may say that it was with gratification that the directors were able to give these appointments to men already in our service.

I now move the formal adoption of the report, revenue accounts, and balance sheet submitted.

FOOD MARKETS

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE.—Numbers on sale this week as compared with last:—Beasts 1,506 (increase 62); sheep and lambs 6,226 (increase 1,703). There was a mixed gathering of cattle, and after a few real choice lots had changed hands the market slumped, and sellers found it difficult to clear stocks at:—Best bullocks and heifers 64/- to 66/-, fancy lots 67/- and 69/-, secondary 58/- to 62/-, rougher 54/- to 57/-. Beef cows also a cheaper trade, while bulls showed an easier tendency. Best young cows 50/- to 56/-, useful sorts 42/- to 48/-, others 35/- to 40/-, and bulls 42/- to 49/- per live cwt.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. — Lambs more numerous, with lower rates accepted in an effort to clear. For prime meated sheep prices showed little change; otherwise the tendency was weaker. Prime sheep in wool 1/2 to 1/3, shorn 1/1 to 1/1½; ewes in wool 1/- to 1/1, shorn 10½d. to 11d. per lb., and lambs 26/- to 53/-; a few outstanding lots 60/- to 65/- per head.

DUBLIN PIGS.—A supply of 537 head met an improved demand at:—Best light to medium weights 112/- to 120/-, heavy 100/- to 108/-, sows 98/- to 100/- per cwt.; slips and bonhams 30/- to 65/- each.

DAIRY CATTLE.—Supplies totalled 269 beasts, for which demand proved slow at easier terms. Best cows and heifers £30 to £33, secondary £24 to £26, others £16 to £22 per head.

EDINBURGH.—Small show of cattle and cows; very little demand for both. No quotations for cattle available. Best milk cows £42 to £49, others £38 to £44.

GLASGOW (Merklands).—Irish cattle landed here during past week numbered 1,324. All were store cattle, and were sent on to feeders. Details: 579 from Belfast, 360 from Dublin, 299 from Derry, and 86 from Cork.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH.—Salmon 1/10 to 2/4; soles, black 1/6 to 2/6, sand 1/- to 1/6; turbot 1/1 to 1/9, brill 1/- to 1/7 per lb.; best lobsters 30/- to 56/- per 13; herrings 22/6, mackerel 12/- to 25/-, plaice 35/- to 115/-, dabs 14/- to 25/-, whiting 15/- to 55/-, and ray 15/- to 27/- per box.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Dates, Champions and Kerr's Pinks 7/6, Arran Chiefs and Sprys 7/-, mixed whites 6/6 per cwt. ex rail.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—York cabbage, large 15/- to 35/-, small 5/- to 10/- per load; cauliflowers 2/6 to 3/-, lettuce 6d. to 1/6 per dozen; rhubarb 2/6 [illegible] per dozen bunches; parsnips 7/- to 10/-, carrots 6/- to 12/- per bag, and parsley 6d. per chip.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Cod, sullock, dogfish, coalfish, ling, whiting, codling, sprags and haddock 7/- (heads on); lemon sole and plaice 15/-, halibut 21/-, dabs 15/-, hake 9/6, roker and skate 7/-, smoked haddocks 14/6, smoked fillets 18/3 per stone.

IRISH EXCHEQUER

The Exchequer return for the period April 1 to May 16, 1942, shows that revenue is £664,025 higher at £5,432,070 and expenditure £150,212 more at £3,365,468, compared with the same period of 1941.

The revenue last week amounted to £480,001, compared with £546,421 in the corresponding week last year, and expenditure to £200,000.

The balance in the Exchequer on May 16, 1942, was £4,404,542, compared with £2,303,109 on the corresponding date last year and £2,394,375 on April 1, 1942.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Wednesday.—Apart from a tendency to heaviness on the part of Aircraft issues and few high-grade stocks, the market showed minor improvement during the morning.

The brisk rise in American telephone, following the declaration of the regular quarterly dividend, failed to provide any stimulus, and most of the other leaders lost a little ground.

The market closed barely steady. The turnover of 405,000 shares comprised 642 issues, of which 155 advanced, 311 declined, and 176 remained unchanged.—(Reuter.)

STORE CATTLE SALES

MESSRS GANLY and SONS — Fair numbers on offer and all bullocks and heifers suitable for shipping met an improved demand at better prices, and a very good clearance was effected. Best bullocks £34 10/- to £26 (67/- to 61/- per cwt.), best heifers £26 to £20 (64/- to 57/- per cwt.). Many other lots of bullocks and heifers £25 to £18 (59/- to 52/- per cwt.), younger classes £15 to £10.

MESSRS. CRAIGIE BROS.—Heavier supplies, and the numbers of aged cattle on offer were short of requirements; well-bred young stock also met a keen demand. Prices were very firm throughout and the whole supply was cleared.



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THEIR PRESENT RETAIL PRICES

SUNLIGHT SOAP	8d. divided doublet	VIM	10d. per canister
			7d. „ „
LIFEBUOY SOAP	9d. divided doublet		2½d. per packet
LUX TOILET SOAP	5d. per tablet	RINSO	4½d. per packet
			8d. „ „
LUX	1/- per packet	MONKEY BRAND	6d. divided bar
	7d. „ „	LEVER'S EASY SHAVING STICK	7½d. per stick
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WHITSUNTIDE 1942
WHIT MONDAY, 25th MAY
PASSENGER TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS — The ordinary Week-day Service will operate on all sections, except on Eastern Section (Suburban Lines), where a reduced service will be in operation, particulars of which may be had on application at stations.
GOODS TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS — The Company's Goods Warehouses and Offices in all districts will be closed and no goods business will be transacted. Goods train services will be suspended, and Live Stock traffic will only be dealt with at places where Fairs are held, and for which special provision has been made.

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BOMB DAMAGED HOUSES

DUBLIN TENANTS' RIGHTS

The rights of tenants to reoccupy their houses in the bombed area of the North Strand, Dublin, were mentioned in the Dail yesterday.

Mr. S. MacEntee, Minister for Local Government and Public Health, in answer to a query on the subject, said that if there was any disposition on the part of landlords not to permit former tenants to reoccupy the houses which were damaged by bombs, outside the area proposed to be acquired by the Corporation, or to seek increased rents as a condition of reoccupancy, the matter would come more within the scope of the Department of Justice. That aspect of the position, he said, was not being overlooked.

CO. DUBLIN A.R.P.

A departure from the usual "set" A.R.P. exercises was initiated last night in County Dublin by Mr. D. J. O'Donovan, County Commissioner and Director of A.R.P. A surprise test mobilisation was carried out in the Howth Sub-District. At 7.30 p.m. a message was sent from the Central Control Station, 11 Parnell square, to the Garda Station, Howth, intimating that two h.e. and several incendiary bombs had dropped at Sutton Cross, causing a number of "casualties" and "fires." The local emergency services, comprising the A.F.S., Rescue, First Aid and L.S.F., were promptly notified of the incident by the Howth Gardai. The surprise nature of the mobilisation disclosed several weaknesses and defects in the organisation, and immediate steps were taken by the Commissioner to remedy them.

AIR NAVIGATION BILL

"Major developments in connection with transatlantic services have not occurred owing to the emergency," Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Industry and Commerce, told the Senate yesterday, when he moved the second stage of the Air Navigation and Transport (Amendment) Bill, 1942.

The bill, he said, was intended to extend the period during which subsidies should be paid to air transport companies which it was not feasible to run on a paying basis. The Act imposed a limit of half a million pounds. In practice that amount had not nearly been reached.

The bill passed the second and all remaining stages.

Substantial Bails in Cycle Charge.—When Jeremiah Cullinane, 3 Clankittanne square, was remanded in Cork yesterday for stealing a bicycle, Inspector Lambert asked for substantial bails, on the grounds that defendant also possessed another bicycle, believed to have been stolen, and held a permit to proceed to England. Bails were fixed at £40, and two sureties of £20.

GREAT NORTHERN RLY.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
WHITSUNTIDE — 1942
The Company have to intimate that in present circumstances it will not be possible to operate ANY ADDITIONAL RAIL OR ROAD PASSENGER SERVICES during WHIT HOLIDAY PERIOD, and that no reduced fares can be issued.
DO NOT TRAVEL FOR PLEASURE.
By following this advice you will ASSIST IN KEEPING ESSENTIAL SERVICES WORKING.
May, 1942. GEO. B. HOWDEN, General Manager.

EIRE CLOTH IMPORTS

For three weeks after the Emergency Powers (Importation of Fabrics) Order, 1942, was made the Department of Supplies granted 730 licences for the importation of 3,431,000 square yards of material. Only 35 applications for licences were refused, which represented less than one per cent. of the area of cloth for which licences were sought. Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Supplies, revealed this to the Senate yesterday, when he replied to a motion of Mr. J. G. Douglas calling for the revocation of the Order.

Mr. DOUGLAS had suggested that the greatest asset in the matter of supplies from Great Britain lay, not in what the Department of Supplies could do, but in personal contact between buyers here and British exporters. He urged the immediate formation of a consultative committee of representatives of manufacturers and distributors, headed by an official of the Department.

Mr. LEMASS said that the Order had been made because it was obvious that home production of cotton, silk, wool and artificial silk in the present year was unlikely to amount to more than 35 per cent. of the 1940 production, and because imports of the same classes were not expected to amount to more than 25 per cent. of the 1940 imports. The revocation of the Order would mean that the majority of the community would be left at the mercy of traders. Special provisions, he announced, had been made for the importation of bandages and other surgical materials.

KEATING'S KILLS BEETLES MOTHS FLEAS etc.
NO CHANGE IN PRICE

AUCTIONS.

SALE TO-DAY, at 12 sharp,
LYNDHURST, 7 ST. ALBAN'S PARK,
FURNITURE, PIANOFORTE, HOOVER VACUUM CLEANER, BUNGALOW COOKER, ETC.
SALE WEDNESDAY NEXT, 27th MAY,
AT ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET,
JEWELLERY, SILVER PLATE, PICTURES, PORCELAIN, GLASSWARE, FURNITURE, ETC.

COMPRISING—Pearl Necklace with Diamond Clasp, 5-stone Diamond Rings, also 3-stone Diamond Ring, Emerald and Diamond Ring, and miscellaneous Jewellery, Diamond Swallow Brooch, Seed Pearl Set, Sapphire and Diamond Ring; Gold Set of Necklace, Bracelet and Brooch, and other Bracelets and Lockets set in various stones, Cameo Brooches, Pearl and Gold Star Brooch, Watch Chains, Lockets, Pendants, Miniatures, etc.

SILVER—Antique Irish Centrepiece, Candlesticks, Tankards, Set of 4 Trays, Historic Trowel, Early Georgian Loving Cup, Antique and Modern Tea Sets, Antique and Modern Salvers, Mugs, Fish Slices, Bon-bon Dishes; Table Sets, comprising Spoons, Forks, Peppers, Salts, etc.

PLATED WARE—Entrée Dishes, Sets of Fish and Fruit Eaters, Kettles and Stands, Bottle Holders, Tea Sets, Coasters, Sauce Boats, Swing Baskets, Biscuit Barrels, and usual Plated items.

PICTURES—Sets of Speed's Maps, Bianconi Coloured Prints, Malton Views of Dublin, Oil Paintings, Water-Colours and Prints, Needlework Panels, Miniatures, etc.

PORCELAIN and GLASSWARE—Long Ironstone Dinner Service, Dessert Sets, Tea Sets, Doll's Tea Service, Modern Dinner Set, Belleek Ware, Dresden and other Ornamental Figures, Boxes, Dishes, Vases, and sundry Ornamental and usual items, including Carved Ivory Figures, Bohemian and other Lustres with cut glass drops, some Waterford Glass; also Sets of Cut Table Glasses, Flower Holders, Jugs, etc.

FURNITURE—Chippendale Tray-top Table, Half-circle and other Card Tables, Mahogany Bookcases, 2-tier Antique Curio Table, Armchairs, Set of 12 Diningroom Chairs, Grandfather Hall Clock with Brass Dial, with tubular Westminster Chimes; Falling-leaf and other Tables, Persian Rugs and other items, including National Player Piano, and a number of interesting BOOKS.

On View day previous, 10 to 5.

SALE FRIDAY, 29th MAY,
GRASSE COTTAGE, ROCHESTOWN AVENUE, DUN LAOGHAIRE,
FURNITURE AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS.
On View day previous. Full particulars in future advertisements.

SALE TUESDAY, 2nd JUNE,
16 HERBERT PARK.
FURNITURE, ARTESSE STOVE, GAS COOKER, CARPETS, ETC.

MESSRS. JAMES H. NORTH & CO., having sold the Residence, are further instructed TO SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including—

Set of Diningroom Chairs of Chippendale design, comprising 6 Chairs and 2 Carvers; Nelson Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard, Mahogany Diningroom Table, Pair of Antique Plate Buckets, Rosewood and other Occasional Tables, Falling-leaf Table and Card Tables, Set of Mahogany Trio Tables, China Display Cabinets and Tables, Buhl China Cabinet, Chesterfield Settee, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Carpets and Stair Carpeting, Suites of Curtains, Mahogany Hall Chairs, Coal Cabinet, Regulator and other Clocks, Oak Hall Table, Needlework and other Screens, Electric Fires, Electric Fittings, including Pair of Lustre Electroliers; All Brass and other Fire Sets, Large Chair in Needlework, Prie Dieu, Couches, Stools in Needlework, Coal Helmets, Carved Mahogany Plant Stand, etc.; Mahogany Knee-hole and other Toilet Tables, Toilet Mirrors, Chests of Drawers, Pedestals, Washstands and Toilet Ware, Wall Cabinets, Commodes, Bedside Pedestals and usual Bedroom Furniture, including Modern Bedsteads with Spring and Hair Matttresses and Bedding.

Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Gas Cooker in nearly new condition, Meat Safe, Ladders, etc.

Garden Seats, Forcing Frames, Garden Tools, Lawn Mower, Hose, Garden Tent.

On View day previous from 10 to 5.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
Auctioneers, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TOWN OF CARLOW.
HAUGHTON'S—ESTABLISHED 1762.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF THE INTEREST AND GOODWILL IN THE ABOVE VALUABLE PROPERTY
COMPRISING SPLENDIDLY EQUIPPED AND SPACIOUS CORN AND COAL STORES, OFFICES, PRIVATE RESIDENCE, WELL-SECURED PROFIT RENTS, LAND, Etc.

JOHN H. TRAYNOR has been instructed by the Executors in this Estate to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 27th, 1942, at the hour of 3 o'clock (Summer Time), at the AUCTIONEER'S OFFICE, COLLEGE STREET, CARLOW.

LOT 1—Substantial stone-built and slated five-storied Corn Store with sack-hiring loft, manure and feeding sheds underneath, together with other out-buildings, large yard and office. The Corn Stores are in excellent repair throughout, capable of holding about 8,000 barrels of grain, and include as fixtures elevators and conveyors, oat dressing machine and a No. 6 Bamford Crusher, all of modern type driven by a 25 h.p. electric motor. These premises also include a kiln capable of holding from 30 to 40 barrels of grain at a time. The Office premises are two-storied, stone built and slated, and comprise four apartments, with two walled-in safes. An additional apartment is situate over the entrance gate. Telephone, w.c., etc. The entire premises are lighted throughout by electricity, and are held together with others under a Fee Farm Grant, subject to a rent of £44 8s. 7d., and will be sold subject thereto, but indemnified in respect of £14 8s. 7d. thereof by portion of the remaining premises comprised in said Grant. Poor Law Valuation, £38.

LOT 2—BURRIN HOUSE, CARLOW. These premises comprise a four-storied stone-built and slated residence, standing in its own grounds, with small garden in front, two-storied out-office building with garage and other accommodation (lofted) at rear, together with large well-stocked fruit and vegetable garden. The residence itself comprises hall, drawingroom, diningroom, 4 family bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, bathroom with w.c. (h. and c.), kitchen, pantry and domestic offices—water and electric light throughout. The entire premises are in excellent repair and condition, and are held under Fee Farm Grant, subject to a rent of £44 8s. 7d., and will be sold subject thereto, but indemnified in respect of £30 thereof by other premises included in this Fee Farm Grant. Poor Law Valuation, £30.

LOT 3—This lot comprises extensive Coal and Turf Yards situate at Mill Lane and Wellington Quay, Carlow, with access from Mill Lane and from a private dock for canal barges at Wellington Quay connecting therewith. The Yards are well roofed and laid out in suitable divisions, lighted by electricity throughout, with office and weighbridge, and are capable of holding 4,000 tons of turf and coal, respectively. These premises are held under Fee Farm Grant, subject to a rent of £13 16s. 11d., and will be sold subject thereto. Poor Law Valuation, £8.

LOT 4—This lot comprises a field at Pembroke, Carlow, containing 2 acres 1 rood and 12 perches, or thereabouts, statute measure conveniently situated to the town and of excellent grazing quality, held under Fee Farm Grant with other premises at a yearly rent of £26 12s. 6d., but will be sold indemnified in respect of the payment of £23 thereof. Poor Law Valuation, £5 15s 0d. Also well-secured PROFIT RENTS totalling £141 6s. 6d., held principally under Fee Farm Grants and long leases.

Special attention is directed to the Sale of these old-established premises, where an excellent business has been carried on for the past 180 years. The Sale should provide first-class investments. Orders to view can be obtained upon application to the Auctioneer or Solicitors. For particulars as to title, conditions of sale, etc., apply to:

MESSRS. MALCOMSON and LAW, Solicitors, Carlow; or
JOHN H. TRAYNOR, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, CARLOW.

SHARVAGH, BUSHMILLS, CO. ANTRIM.

SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY of attractive Residence in town of Bushmills. The house contains 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 boxrooms, bath (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s, kitchen, scullery, 2 pantries, 2-room cellar, all with electric light; ample offices, greenhouse, and garden of about 2 acres well stocked with fruit trees; lawn in front. Held for ever, free of rent.

This Sale presents a favourable opportunity to acquire a modern residence in first-class order and ready for immediate occupation, and is convenient to schools and churches and the sea. Vacant possession will be given.

Appointments to view can be made with the Auctioneer.

Offers will be received up to 1st June, 1942. Apply to
J. and A. CARUTH and BAMBER, Solicitors, Ballymena. (Tel. No. 411.)

F. J. McCARTNEY,
Auctioneer and Valuer, BALLYMENA. Tel. No. 272.

'BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS.'
TO-DAY, 2.30 p.m.,
AT OUR SALEROOMS,
5 ATTRACTIVE HOUSES
(POSSESSION OF EACH):
"MONTROSE," HOWTH.
120 BOTANIC RD., GLASNEVIN.
82 SEAFIELD ROAD, EAST, CLONTARF.
277 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.
218 CLONLIFFE ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.
BATTERSBY & CO.,
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39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.
Established 1815.

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), at 12 o'clock.
FURNITURE AUCTION
AT MELMORE, BRIGHTON AVENUE, MONKSTOWN.
Sale of House at 12 o'c., Furniture immediately after. On View TO-DAY, 12 to 7 p.m. Delivery after sale, and on Saturday from 10 a.m.
BOWLES & CO.,
Auctioneers,
24 STH. FREDERICK STREET.

MOTORS, AUTO-CYCLES, TYRES.

FOR Sale, 23.9 Chrysler Saloon, black, condition as new; excellent set of tyres; one owner. Ring Dunboyne 30, or write, William Smith, Blackhall, Batterstown, Co. Meath.

FOR Sale, Ford Prefect, 1940, splendid condition, 4 door, red leather upholstery; 40 mls. p.g. Box H 535.

STEAM—Wanted, old Stanley or White Touring Car Engine, any condition; also Boiler. Box "Z 5274, Car."

LORRIES, VANS, VEHICLES.

AUSTIN 7 h.p. Van, £40; real bargain; cash. 'Phone 74530.

A 1940 2 ton V.8 Truck, new tyres, as new; 1936 V.8 and Fordsons; 1936 30 cwt. Bedford Truck; 1938 5 cwt. Ford Van, and 1938 10 h.p. Morris Saloon Car, suit hackney work. 'Phone 61565. Irish Multiwheel Transport, Ltd., Lower Erne street, Dublin.

FOUR-IN-HAND Coach for Sale; seats 14 outside, 4 inside; perfect condition.—Horgan, Firville, Macroom. 13 C

TWO beautiful, new, Vans, 8 and 10 h.p., selling cheap. 'Phone 74530.

WTD., Inside Trap, rubber tyres, suit horse 15.2; good condition. Box H 382.

WTD., complete outfit, 2 seater Trap and Harness (good condition) and Pony, 11 to 12 hands. Box "Z 5280, Trap."

BICYCLES, PRAMS.

BIKES—100 Gent's for quick clearance, from 55/-; singles, lots. Arcade Cycle Depot, Emmet road, Inchicore, Dublin.

LADY'S Raleigh Bicycle for Sale; good condition; £8, no offers. Box H 510.

PRAMS are still available and cheaper at Barron's, 1 North Earl street, Dublin.

PRAMS—For an exclusive model, try Sheerans, 57 Thomas st. Tel. 51803.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, 10th May, possibly vicinity O'Connell Bridge or on Whitechurch or Sandymount 'bus, Diamond from Ring; reward £5; police informed. Box H 542.

WOULD the person who took Gent's Umbrella in mistake from Greystones Parish Church last Friday evening please return same to Cool-na-Vee, Greystones, where they can have their own in exchange?

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED, AN EXPERIENCED
BOOK-KEEPER
FOR SEASIDE HOTEL. Apply, stating age, religion and salary, to Box "Z 5336, Book-keeper."

BUYER WANTED.
LARGE CITY STORE REQUIRE THE SERVICES OF COMPETENT MAN TO BUY LADIES' AND MEN'S FOOTWEAR. Applications, fullest confidence, stating age, experience and salary. Box H 526

WANTED by Commercial Firm in Southern town for SECRETARIAL DUTIES and GENERAL SUPERVISION,
ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN.
Good education and business experience. Good prospect for right man. State Salary expected. Applications, with full particulars, to
MAGENNIS, BURNS, GRIFFIN & CO., Auditors & Accountants, City Chambers, Cork.

Distillery Walk Off

WHAT was without question one of the most exciting football matches to be played in Dublin this year ended remarkably at Dalymount Park last night. At the end of ninety minutes of the return inter-city game between Distillery (Belfast) and Dundalk, the score was one goal each, so that, if the match had then terminated, Distillery would have passed into the semi-final round, as they had beaten Dundalk one-nil at Belfast. The referee, however, elected to play some additional minutes, apparently to allow for stoppages—as he was entitled to do under the rules of the game. After about four minutes Dundalk scored another goal, and after another minute the referee blew for full time.

The referee, Mr. T. Dwyer, then attempted to line up the teams for a period of extra time, in order to decide the issue, but, with the approval certainly of a number of their officials, the Distillery team walked off the ground. Several spectators, mostly youths and small boys, had crowded on to the pitch, and, when they had been ushered to the side, the Dundalk team took their places behind the ball, the whistle was blown and they dribbled down an empty pitch and kicked the ball into what would have been the Distillery goal, had Distillery been there.

And so ended the game; but not the controversy. That this was "the end of the inter-city competition," was a view freely voiced by both Belfast and Dublin legislators. In that respect, however, second thoughts may prove different.

The match itself had been a "thriller." Dundalk were on the offensive for much the greater part of the game, and in the first half certainly they were the better team, playing excellent football. Although they were seldom out of Distillery's half in the second period, Dundalk seldom looked like scoring; for the Belfast team's defence was magnificent, and towards the end, although they still attacked vigorously, much of Dundalk's work bore the marks of a tired team. Nevertheless, they did not deserve to be beaten.

Against the run of play Lynass scored for Distillery after twelve minutes' play. Distillery's goal then had a series of narrow escapes, once when the goalkeeper was lying on the ground. In the twenty-second minute Doran charged in a pass from Lavery, putting the goalkeeper into the net in the process. Two goal-mouth frees for Distillery followed, and there was a most exciting series of incidents. Kelly (Dundalk) was laid off for about ten minutes and returned with his head bandaged, but even in his absence Dundalk were constantly dangerous, and Tierney brought off some great saves.

After fifteen minutes of the second half McNeilly handled, and when Kelly made a poor attempt to score from the penalty kick it looked as though Dundalk would not get so good a chance again. They did get one, however, Kelly missing a splendid opportunity when the ball travelled across the goal-mouth to his feet. Later, Tierney, on his own, saved from both Barlow and Doran when well out of his goal. Ten minutes from time Distillery's goal underwent a bombardment that was frustrated by some amazing saves.

In the forty-ninth minute of the second half Kelly scored for Dundalk, and what happened after that has already been described. The gate was £221.

GATE KNOCKED OUT BY CORNER KICK

By a corner kick margin Cliftonville beat James's Gate in Belfast last evening. It was the best match of the series so far in the North. Cliftonville were three goals in arrears when the match started. Wilson and Atkinson scored in the first half, and Rae got a third in the second half. This was the first match in which extra time was played. The Gate should have won in the extra period. Once Dokes struck the underside of the crossbar, and the referee, Mr. Thompson, signalled a goal, but reversed his decision when appealed to by the Cliftonville players. A corner kick which was conceded by the Gate put Cliftonville into the semi-final, in which they will meet the winner of the Rovers-Shelbourne match.

SHELBOURNE PARK GREYHOUNDS

525 YARDS—Walter's Negro (3), 7/2, 1; Brave Regent (5), 7/1, 2; Brave Actor (2), 7/4, 3. Free Fisher (4), 3/1, 4; Dover Boy (6), 10/1, 5; Tandem (1), 3/1, 6 (fell). ½l., 2l. 32.02.

525 YARDS, Hurdles—Bold Reply (3), 7/1, 1; Kilcash Lemon (6), 5/2, 2; Full Fiddler (4), 6/4, 3. Order in Council (1), 4/1, 4. 2l., 6l. 32.80.

360 YARDS—Man of Fire (5), 4/1, 1; Bolgo (1), 9/4, 2; Heir to Surplus (6), 9/4, 3. Jovial Crook (2), 6/1, 4; Comer Bogey (3), 5/1, 5. ½l., 3l. 21.10.

525 YARDS—Cloneen General (1), 7/2, 1; Wicklow Hope (4), 3/1, 2; Brave Seal (3), 5/4, 3. Cut More Turf (2), 5/1, 4; Man of Conquest (5), 100/8, 5. 2l., head. 31.33.

525 YARDS—Connie Miller (6), 6/1, 1; Sly Regent (1), 5/2, 2; Crystal Wave (4), 5/4, 3. Conservant (2), 7/1, 4; Tricandeau (3), 6/1, 5; Up the Aisle (5), 8/1, 6. 3l., ½l. 31.18.

525 YARDS, Hurdles—Knockea Ration (1), 10/1, 1; Rare Rustic (6), 1/1, 2 (fell); Jolly Trumpeter (3), 4/1, 3 (fell). Handy Shot (4), 5/2 4. Dist., 6l. 32.66.

525 YARDS—Play Lady (4), 3/1, 1; Kylock Hope (1), 5/2, 2; Mullagh Fairy (3), 3/1, 3. Highland Blitz (5), 5/2, 4; Flying Flame (2), 4/1, 5. 3l., neck. 31.24.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.0—525 YARDS—Fit to Win, Larry Lamb, Brave Victory, Barrow Core, Merry Sue, Camon, Wandering Song, Gorgeous.

525 YARDS HURDLES—Terrible Rum, Hillary's Mistake, Brigadier Mac, Hobzee for Winners, Retreat O'Moy, Order in Council.

550 YARDS—Brave Success, Coughlan's Gift, Forest Cat, Conservant, Path of Fame, Whirling Border Wind, Princess Chrysanthemum, Bright Damsel.

525 YARDS—Halston Miller, Glen Almond, Buzzaway's Hopeful, Ballycomber Negro, Cold Turkey, Currabaugha, Sally's Man, Badgersfort Lass.

525 YARDS HURDLES—Fiallach, Blue Miss, Corner Cutlet, Booster Generator, Kylock Hope, Jolly Trumpeter.

350 YARDS—Forth Link, Barrack Lawyer, Robert Foozle, Lackawanna, Tiny Vixen, Sub.—Meteor's Witch.

525 YARDS—Miller's Pride, Ena's Outlook, Merry Three Star, Arbour Cream, Wireless Dasher, Lady Lavender, Glanworth Colleen, Knabo's Boy.

IRISH DERBY.—Heat 5—Cottage Luck (4/5), 1; Sheehy's Star (3/1), 2; Killarda (3/1), 3. 3l., 2l. 30.48 secs. Heat 6—Munster Hills (4/5), 1; Touch and Go (2/1), 2; Con's Steel (6/1), 3. 2l., 1l. 30.92 secs.

GOFF'S GREYHOUND SALE

The top price at Messrs. Goff's successful sale at Harold's Cross yesterday was 200 guineas for Waterloo Bridge, a winner at the Limerick track, Mr. Johnston securing him at that figure. There were five other transactions of over 100 guineas. Details:—

	Gns.
Mr. W. P. Flynn's w. f. d. Faded Line (1941) by Cliff Line—Dystocia (Mr. C. Crowley)	60
Mrs. A. Chambers's bd. d. Old Spanish Hero (1940), by Spanish Hero—Old Peggy (Mr. J. D. Farrell)	78
Mr. J. Murphy's bd. d. Ferry Hill Yank (1940), by Roving Yank—Early Peggy (Mr. Cash)	54
Mrs. E. O'Sullivan's Riotous Garr, by Running Riot—Lass of Garr (Mr. O'Reilly)	105
Mr. O'Callaghan's bd. d. Waterloo Bridge (1940), by Orrin Jude—Civic Pride (Mr. Johnston)	200
Mr. J. Flaherty's f. d. Fiery Man (1940) by Man o' Man—Faithful Sandals (Mr. J. D. O'Farrell)	84
Mr. J. Quirke's w. and bd. d. Derryvillane (1940), by Valiant Cutlet—Hamphlet (Mr. B. Tierney)	150
Mr. J. J. McCormack's f. d. Culrain Rambler (1940), by Culrain—Rambling Rose (Mr. Cantwell)	80
Mr. T. O'Reilly's f. d. Hurling Park (1940), by Gale Side Silver—La Plume (Mr. Stewart)	60
Messrs. Loughman and Lewis's f. d. Romany Raider (1940) by Culrain—Rambling Rose (Mr. Laker)	76
Messrs. Lynch and Brennan's bd. d. Up Creeve (1940), by Away in Lorraine—Hero's Princess (Mr. Stevenson	50
Mr. J. J. McCormack's f. d. Valiant Chieftain (1939), by Valiant Cutlet—Dreelingstown (Mr. Horan)	84
Mr. S. Fahy's be. and bd. d. Brother Acid (1939), by Bella's Brother—Acid Fast (Mr. Cantwell)	140
Mr. J. Keoghan's bk. d. Behernagh's Best (1940), by Rowley Regis—Duritza (Mr. Dobbin)	150
Mr. W. Black's bk. d. Priceless Bryan (1940), by Bryn All's Well—Priceless Sandills (Mr. Dobbin)	70
Mr. M. O'Mara's w. and f. d. Nuacht an Lae (1940), by Creamery Border—Ocean Mixture (Mr. Dobbin)	140

OPEN-AIR BOXING

An open-air boxing tournament will be held on Saturday next between U.C.D. and Trinity, at Iveagh Gardens. Included in the heavy-weight contests will be a bout between N. Croke (Garda) and H. O'Brien Moran (Junior University champion). Entrance will be from Harcourt street.

NOVICE BOXERS AT PORTOBELLO

Fly-weight—Pte. T. McCabe beat Pte. Corcoran.
Bantam-weight—Pte. J. Doyle beat Pte. J. Black.
Feather-weight—Pte. T. Malone beat Pte. J. Jordan
Light-weight—Pte. J. Hensey beat Pte. P. O'Reilly.
Welter-weight—Pte. G. Fusco beat Pte. Boland.
Middle-weight—Pte. D. Crean beat Pte. Kavanagh.
Light-heavy—Pte. J. O'Neill beat Pte. Burke.
Special middle-weight—Lieut. O'Driscoll beat Lieut. O'Neill.

YACHTING

There was a splendid finish in the first tie race for the Newsom Memorial Cup, sailed by the Wag Club last evening, Vega, steered by her owner (Miss S. Armstrong), shaking off a strong challenge by both Coquette (G. H. Jones) and Pansy (Delaney and Spiro) in the final round. As it was, Vega broke the winning line 28 seconds ahead of Coquette, the latter, in turn, leading Pansy by 6 secs. Shindilla (D. Mitchell), finishing fourth, took first club prize on her handicap of 2 mins.

LAST FOUR IN JUNIOR GOLF TOURNAMENT

Grange, Royal Dublin, Castle, and Milltown qualified for the semi-finals of the junior tournaments as the Castle last evening, and will play in that order to-day. The Grange is represented by a very strong side, and the Castle team also are a well-balanced combination, as they proved by beating Portmarnock, who lost three matches, and only halved the others. The issue, however, still is very open.

Grange, 4; Newlands, 1.—J. H. Reade (4) beat B. Murphy (5), 5 and 4; H. T. Coleman (4) beat J. P. Cummins (7), 2 and 1; A. E. O'Connor (5) beat L. McNeive (7), 3 and 2; P. A. Love (6) lost to D. J. Murphy (7), 5 and 4; W. P. Lewis (7) beat W. Donohoe (9), 4 and 3.

Royal Dublin, 3; U.C.D., 2.—J. McGowan (4) beat B. J. Murphy (4), 3 and 2; L. Howley (4) lost to D. J. O'Connor (5), 2 down; K. Coghlan (4) lost to P. Van Miert (5), at 19th; C. McNamara (5) beat B. Brennan (6), 6 and 5; R. Mahon (6) beat S. J. O'Meara (7), 1 up.

Castle, 3; Portmarnock, 0.—N. H. Lambert (4) beat F. X. Kelly, 1 up; A. Smithwick (5) beat C. Slack (5), 1 up; J. Barrett (7) and B. Herlihy (5) halved; G. Davis (7) and J. F. Owens (5) halved; N. C. Phillip (7) beat P. A. Bolger (6), 8 and 7.

Milltown, 3; Clontarf, 2.—C. F. Myerscough (4) lost to F. G. Moran (4), 4 and 3; H. B. Linehan (4) beat R. Rice (5), 6 and 4; D. V. Horgan (4) lost to S. Tierney (6), 1 down; H. M. Stanley (6) beat S. McMahon (7), 2 and 1; R. H. Ryan (6) beat F. J. Quinn (7), 5 and 3.

FINE DISPLAY BY MISS MOORE

Two internationals, Mrs. Reddan and Miss Moore, reached the semi-finals of the Leinster Scratch Cup at Grange yesterday, and, being in different halves of the draw, likely will meet in the final this evening. Both played excellent golf, Miss Moore particularly. She reached the turn in approximately 35 strokes for a substantial lead of Miss Ferguson, of Greenore, who was making her *début* in the senior event, and won at the 13th. Last year's winner of the Junior Cup, the Dutch girl, Miss Reinders, was not eligible to defend the Cup, but as a senior she did remarkably well to reach the semi-final stage.

LEINSTER SCRATCH CUP.

Second Round—Miss C. Fitzsimon (Hermitage) beat Miss Hynes (Waterford), 5 and 4; Miss O'Donoghue (Castlerea) beat Miss C. Carroll (Dun Laoghaire), 3 and 1; Miss P. McEntagart (Sutton) beat Miss Meares (Kilcroney), 2 and 1; Mrs. V. Reddan (Co. Louth) beat Miss Donnellan (Dun Laoghaire), 5 and 4; Miss Fergusson (Greenore) beat Miss Fitzgibbon (Greystones), 3 and 2; Miss Moore (Milltown) beat Miss Dilworth (Grange), 5 and 4; Miss T. Reinders (Co. Louth) beat Mrs. Fletcher (Foxrock), 2 and 1; Mrs. Lowry (Co. Louth) beat Mrs. T. Kiely (Foxrock), 4 and 3.

Third Round—Miss O'Donoghue beat Miss Fitzsimon, 3 and 2; Mrs. Reddan beat Miss McEntagart, 7 and 5; Miss Moore beat Mrs. Fergusson, 6 and 5; Miss Reinders beat Mrs. Lowry, 2 up.

JUNIOR CUP.

Second Round—Mrs. Myerscough (Milltown) beat Mrs. King French (Malahide) at 20th; Miss Harty (Grange) beat Mrs. Egan (Foxrock), 6 and 4; Mrs. C. A. Carroll (Dundalk) beat Mrs. F. O'Neill (Grange), 4 and 3; Miss McAuley (Dun Laoghaire) beat Miss Smith (Cavan), 3 and 2; Mrs. Courtney (Milltown) beat Miss R. Birmingham (Milltown), 1 up; Mrs. Hickey (Milltown) beat Mrs. Warren (Dun Laoghaire) at 19th; Miss Pyper (Milltown) beat Mrs. D. Byrne (Milltown), 7 and 5; Miss Kennedy (Castle) beat Mrs. Lane (Kilcroney), 4 and 3.

Third Round—Mrs. Myerscough beat Miss Harty, 2 up; Miss McAuley beat Mrs. C. Carroll, 4 and 3; Mrs. Hickey beat Mrs. Courtney, 5 and 4; Miss Pyper beat Miss Kennedy, 4 and 3.

To-day — 11.30 — Consolation medal round, 18 holes; arrange opponents.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Greystones.—Lady Captain's team, 11 matches; Captain's team, 13 matches. Saturday—The Lady HolmPatrick Cup, fourball. Whit Monday—Men's fourball or mixed fourball, bogey (open to visitors).

Bellinter.—Rev. P. League's prize—J. Y. Drought (12), 73; G. H. Briscoe (14), 74.

Delgany.—Mrs. P. McEntagart's prize, eclectic—Miss Oulton (7), 32 2-3; Mrs. Hern (19), 32 2-3. May 26—Club foursomes.

Newlands.—Saturday—Men's open fourball. Sunday—Mixed foursomes.

Donabate.—Corbally Cup Draw — B. Woakes v. W. Douglas or J. Campbell; B. Riordan v. E. O'Beollain or C. Kane. Saturday—Open mixed foursomes. Sunday—Open men's fourball. Monday—Surprise mixed foursomes.

Rathfarnham.—Ladies—Captain's prize draw—Miss Smyth v. Miss Browne; Mrs. Deane v Miss Drury; Mrs. Quigley v. Miss Buggy; Miss Williamson v. Miss Baldwin;

Golf club notices cannot in future be published on Saturdays. Items intended for Friday's issue must be received by Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Oxley v. Miss J. Metge; Miss Van Homrigh v. Mrs. Gow; Mrs. Cochrane v. Mrs. Bingham; Miss Black v. Mrs. Gordon. Challenge Cup final—Miss Black beat Mrs. Hamilton, 7 and 6.

Killarney. — O'Reilly Cup — Rev. M. O'Shea (23), 73. Fourball—J. Moriarty and G. G. Roche (11), 9 up. Saturday—Fourball, bogey. Sunday—Turnip Cup, strokes (ladies and men), and Stableford fourball (Midsummer Goblets). Monday—Riche Cup, strokes (men); Park Cup, strokes (men); O'Sullivan Cup, strokes (ladies); afternoon, fourball, bogey.

Rathfarnham—To-day—Fourball, bogey. Saturday—Medal, strokes. Monday—Morning, Dean Cup, strokes; afternoon, mixed foursomes, bogey.

Foxrock.—Saturday—Dr. Andrew Horne's prize, Stableford. Monday—Open fourball; arrange fixtures and opponents.

Clontarf. — Ladies — Mrs. Phil Clark's prize—1—Mrs Lehane, 73; 2—Mrs. Fred. Clarke, 71. Mrs. Giddings' prize—Mrs. O'Kelly, 73.

Elm Park.—Ladies—To-day—Committee's prize, strokes; best nett in each class play off.

Woodbrook.—Wednesday Cup—J. S. Wall (9), 69; J. J. Doyle (8), 71; J. Lynch (11), 71; H. C. Hutchinson (13), 71. Saturday—Auction sweep, qualifying round.

HARD COURT TENNIS SEMI-FINALISTS

R. F. Egan, J. McHale (the holder), A. E. Fannin and C. A. Kemp will meet in that order in the Irish hard court men's singles semi-finals at Elm Park, while in the same stage of the women's event the matches are Miss Lombard v. Mrs. Lister and Miss D. Curley v. Miss B. Good. Mrs. Lister put up a notable performance in eliminating the Irish open champion, Miss M. Nichols.

There was a big surprise in the women's doubles, the strongest pair on paper, Mrs. Egan and Mrs. Lister, losing to Miss S. Hogan and Miss M. Mathews. Some splendid tennis was seen in the mixed doubles, in which T. G. McVeagh and Miss Lombard beat H. J. Ryan and Miss Nichols after being 3-1 down in the final set. Results:—

Men's Singles—Second Round—A. White beat J. Sheehan—3-6, 7-5, 6-4; J. McHale beat S. Robb—6-3, 6-4.

Quarter-finals—R. F. Egan beat White—6-3, 6-4; McHale beat H. J. Ryan—6-1, 6-0; A. E. Fannin beat E. H. Maynard—6-4, 6-0; C. A. Kemp beat H. Kennedy—6-3, 6-2.

Women's Singles—First Round—Mrs. E. Lister beat Miss M. Nichols—5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

Quarter-finals—Mrs. Lister beat Miss P. Doran—6-2, 6-2; Miss D. Curley beat Mrs. E. Egan—6-0, 6-2; Miss B. Good beat Miss S. Curley—6-3, 6-1.

Men's Doubles—Second Round—D. D. O'Sullivan and J. McHale beat N. Brennan and H. Morris—6-2, 6-4; C. A. Kemp and E. H. Maynard beat R. Buchanan and H. Kennedy—6-1, 6-4.

Women's Doubles—First Round—Misses O. Poole and B. Lombard beat Misses N. Strahan and B. Greene—6-3, 6-2; Misses B. Good and N. Nichols beat Misses Houlihan and P. Spicer—6-1, 6-1; Misses M. Matthews and S. Hogan beat Mrs. E. Egan and Mrs. E. Lister—6-4, 4-6, 8-6.

Mixed Doubles—Second Round—T. G. McVeagh and Miss E. Lombard beat H. G. Ryan and Mrs. Nichols—6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME—4.30: Egan v. MacHale. 5.0: Miss Lombard v. Mrs. Lister; Miss D Curley v. Miss Good. 5.30: Kemp v. Fannin. 6.0: T. G. McDonald v. R. J. McCabe; Forster v. MacNamara; Misses Young and Barror v. Miss Sheehan and Mrs. Maynard; Fawcett and Miss Dobrynska v. S. Egan and Miss Prendergast (A). 7.0: Kemp and Mrs. Egan v. Fannin and Miss Poole; R. F. Egan and Mrs. Lister v. Ryan and Miss Nichols or McVeagh and Miss Lombard; Miss Thornton v. Mrs. Campbell or Miss Moylan; Miss Wyllie v. Miss Healy; winner of A v. Clifton and Miss Doran; R. J. McCabe and Wood v. Murtagh and Schneider (to finish); McDonald and Forster v. O'Sullivan and McCoy (to finish); Misses Wyllie and Moylan v. Miss Jennings and Mrs. Campbell.

NOVICES' ATHLETICS

The Leinster Branch A.A.U.E. Novices' League fixtures are as under, the starting time in each case being 7.30:—

Round 3.—Donore v. Terenure, May 27; Dublin University v. Civil Service, May 26; Crusaders v. Clonliffe, May 28.

Round 4.—Donore v. City and Suburban, June 1; Civil Service v. Clonliffe, June 2; Dublin University v. Crusaders, June 1.

Round 5.—Donore v. Crusaders, June 10; Dublin University v. City and Suburban, June 15; Terenure v. Clonliffe, June 8.

Round 6.—Civil Service v. Crusaders, June 16; Dublin University v. Clonliffe, June 18; Terenure v. City and Suburban, June 22.

Round 7.—Donore v. Clonliffe; Civil Service v. City and Suburban; Terenure v. Crusaders. Crusaders is a new club.

The annual championships will be held at Glenmalure Park, Milltown, on Saturday, 6th June, commencing at 3 o'clock. Entries close with Hon. Secretary, Leinster Branch, on Saturday, 30th May.

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AUCTION, 21st May—Five attractive Houses (possession each), low reserves:—"Montrose," Howth, non-basement lovely position; 218 Clonliffe road, few doors Drumcondra road; 277 North Circular road, well built, opposite Rathdown road; 82 Seafield road, East, Clontarf, charming bungalow, ½ acre; 120 Botanic road, semi-detached, close Botanic Gardens. Full details, Battersby and Co., Auctioneers, Thirty-nine Westmoreland st. 9 X

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DRUMCONDRA—8 St. Clement's road, convenient Binn's Bridge; 6 apartments; lease 800, at £3; valuation £16. Auction, Wednesday next, 2.30, in 4 Grafton street.—Corrigan and Co., Auctioneers.

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WANTED, small House, Furnished. Box H 378.

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AT 7 Brighton road, Rathgar—Accommodation, suit two gentlemen. 18 D

A DESIRABLE, Unfurnished Top Flat, power; share Furnished; exclusive house, Kelly, 7 Herbert street. 18 F

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LONDON, Thursday... Norwegians have been s... of the German Comm... attempting to escape to E... Radio announced to-ni... sentences on two others... muted to life prison terms... teen were stated to ha... motor boat specially for ... Several other Norwegian... given sentences ranging ... fifteen years' imprisonme... the attempt.—(Reuter.)

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